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WHEREAS, By an Act of the General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, entitled "An Act to Regulate the Nomination and Election of Public Officers," etc., within this Commonwealth, approved the 26th day of June, A. D. 1895, it is enjoined upon me to give public notice of said election and to enumerate what officers are to be elected, as well as the places at which said election is to be held. I, D. W. COULTER, High Sheriff of the county of Cambria, in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, do hereby make known and give notice to the electors of the county aforesaid that a General Election will be held in the said county of Cambria on the

FIFTH DAY OF NOVEMBER, A. D. 1895,

the same being the Tuesday next following the first Monday of said month, at which time State and county officers will be elected as follows:

One person for State Treasurer.
Seven persons for Judges of the Superior Court.
One person for District Attorney.
One person for Prothonotary.
One person for Register and Recorder.
One person for Poor Director.
One person for Coroner.
One person for County Surveyor.

I hereby make known and give notice that the places for holding the aforesaid election in the several boroughs, wards, townships and districts within the said county are as follows, to wit:

Adams township at the house of Daniel Dunkle, in Adamsburg.
Allegheny township at Bradley's school house.
Ashville borough at the Council Room.
Barnesboro borough at Council Chamber.
Barr township at the office of George Fresh, Esq.
Blacklick township at the house on the property of Simon Adams.
Cambria township at the office of Abel Lloyd, in Lloyd Springs Hotel.
Carrolltown borough at the Council Room.
Carroll township at the house of John Flick.
Chest Springs borough at the Council Room.
Chest township at the office of John G. Gill, Esq., in the village of St. Lawrence.
Clearfield township at School House No. 2, adjoining the village of St. Augustine.
Conemaugh township at school house at Singer's.
Cooperdale borough at the Municipal Building.
Croyle township at the new building on the land of William Gable at the east end of new iron bridge.
Cresson township at School House No. 5 on the line leading from Cresson to Summit.
Dean township at school house in said borough.
Dale borough at the public Council Chamber.
Dean township at Dysart's school house.
East Conemaugh borough at the Burgess' Office in the Municipal Building.
East Taylor township at the new building on Frederick School House lot.
Ebensburg, East ward, at the office of Richard Jones, Esq.
Ebensburg, West ward, at the Council Room.
Elder township at the School House, in the village of St. Boniface.
Franklin borough at the Council Room.
Gallitzin borough at the Opera House, Hemlock street (2nd floor).
Gallitzin township at the Mountain School House.
Hastings borough at the Council Chamber.
Jackson township at the house of Henry Rager.
Johnstown, First ward, at the house of David H. Rees, on Market street.
Johnstown, second ward, in the building owned by Thomas D. Davis, on the northwest corner of Market and Locust.
Johnstown, third ward, at building of the Johnstown Tarnverein, corner of Railroad and Jackson streets.
Johnstown, Fourth ward, at the office of William McKenzie, J. P., on Bedford street.
Johnstown, Fifth ward, at 406 Franklin street.
Johnstown, Sixth ward, at Henry Shaffer's building.
Johnstown, Seventh ward, at the Hand Hall, corner of Fifth and Cherry streets.
Johnstown, Eighth ward, at the Hall of Mrs. Cibar de Beam on Main street.
Johnstown, Ninth ward, at the house of Peter Hann.
Johnstown, Tenth ward, at the American House.
Johnstown, Eleventh ward, at D. Lucas' furniture store.
Johnstown, Twelfth ward, at the Lock-up or old Council Chamber.
Johnstown, Thirteenth ward, at the office of Andrew G. Owens, Esq., No. 48 Iron street.
Johnstown, Fourteenth ward, at the Hose-Carriage House.
Johnstown, Fifteenth ward, at the Hand Hall, Third avenue.
Johnstown, Sixteenth ward, at the Lock up.
Johnstown, Seventeenth ward, at the Moxham Fire Company Building.
Lilly borough at the Council Chamber.
Loretto borough at the School House.
Lower Yoder township at the Elk Run School House.
Morrellville, First ward, at the Council Chamber.
Morrellville, Second ward at the Insko Building, corner of Railroad and First streets.
Morrellville, Second ward, at the Hose House of the Morrellville Fire Company No. 1, on D street.
Munster township at the warehouse of Augustine Durbin, deceased, in the village of Munster.
Patton borough at Firemen's Hall, Long avenue.
Portage borough at the building on Caldwell avenue owned by Philip Hopfer.
Portage township at a new election house at J. S. Kiel's.
Reade township, East district, at the tinshop of Abraham Cornelius, in the village of Glasgow.
Reade township, South district, at the school house at Figart.
Reade township, West district, at the school house in the village of Frugality.
Richland township at the house of William Trigt.
Richbury borough at the Municipal Building.
Rockdale borough at Rosedale Hall.
Spangler borough at the office of the Spangler Improvement Company.
South Fork borough at the Hose House.
Stonycreek township at Jacoby's school house.
Summerhill borough at the Council Room.
Summerhill township at carpenter shop of B. J. McClure.
Susquehanna township at the house of Frank Marshall.
Tunnelhill borough at the School House.
Upper Yoder township at School House No. 3.
Vintondale election district at School House in the village of Vintondale.
Washington township at School House No. 3.
Westmont borough at the Hose House on Second avenue.
West Taylor township at the house of Eli Benshoff.
White township at the new storeroom of J. C. Gates'.
Wilmore borough at the Council Chamber.

I hereby give notice that every person, excepting Justices of the Peace, who shall hold any office or appointment of profit or trust under the Government of the United States, or of this State, or any city or incorporated district, whether a commissioned officer or otherwise, a subordinate officer or agent, who is or shall be employed under the Legislative, Executive or Judiciary Department of this State, or the United States, or any city or incorporated district, and also that every member of Congress and of the State Legislature and of the Select or Common Council of any city, or Commissioner of any incorporated district, is, by law, incapable of holding or exercising at the same time the office or appointment of Judge, Inspector or Clerk of any election of this Commonwealth, and that no Inspector, Judge, or any other officer of any such election shall be eligible to any office to be then voted for, except that of an election officer.

List of nominations as certified by the Secretary of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania and the Commissioners of Cambria county, and to be voted for in the several election districts of said county at the ensuing election:

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GEORGE B. OKLADY.
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ROBERT S. MURPHY.
Prothonotary,
SAMUEL W. DAVIS.
Register and Recorder,
FLORENTINE K. JONES.
Poor Director,
THOMAS L. JONES.
Coroner,
FRANK J. LIVINGSTON.
County Surveyor,
SAMUEL G. PETERMAN.

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State Treasurer,
BENJAMIN F. MEYERS.
Judges of the Superior Court,
HERMAN YERKES.
JAMES S. MOORHEAD.
CHARLES HENRY NOYES.
PETER SMITH.
OLIVER P. BECHTEL.
CHRISTOPHER MAGEE.
District Attorney,
JAMES M. WALTERS.
Prothonotary,
WILLIAM S. O'BRIEN.
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GIVEN under my hand at my office in Ebensburg this 23rd day of October, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five, and the Independence of the United States of America the one hundred and twentieth.

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A DIMINISHED SEVENTH.

BY EUGENE E. WOOD.

She was the youngest but one of a family of eight. Physically, her life was and could be nothing save one long crucifixion. Crippled and deformed, there stretched behind her a record of suffering; before her the prospect of greater torture still. Nature had used her cruelly, for while her puny and misshapen frame inspired ridicule, or, at best, shuddering pity, she had been dowered with a capacity for affection that burnt itself into fiercer intensity waiting the love that never came. Misunderstood, she had gradually retreated into a little world of her own, with nothing to love. Nothing? There was her violin, but that could hardly be considered apart from Ida's own individuality. It was her violin that expressed more eloquently than herself could ever have done the loneliness and the loveleseness of her life.

"It speaks for me," she once confessed to the old doctor, who understood her better than anyone else. "What other people feel they can explain in words; but I seem to have no power of expression except through my violin."

Dr. Marshall was silent for a moment; then he asked presently: "Did you ever hear my boy Austin play?"

Ida shook her head. She had heard no one. Her morbid consciousness of infirmities prevented her from attending any public concert, and Austin Marshall, as she well knew, was a professional violinist of repute.

"You ought to hear him. They tell me his execution is remarkably good—and, besides, geniuses like you two ought to know each other. I'll tell you what I'll do," he added kindly; "I'll bring him round one evening to see you, if you like, when he isn't busy."

Not many days elapsed ere the doctor kept his promise, and Austin Marshall, tall and strong, held the small, wasted hand of the diminutive musician, and wondered the while how the perfect soul his father had described had managed to find itself in that misshapen little body. And later on, when Ida had completely astounded him with her rendering of Dvorak's "Romance"—wild, intense and heart-breaking—he told himself that such a thing was monstrous. Here was an untutored genius, beside whom himself would pale into comparative insignificance, doomed by nature to perpetual solitude while, Orpheus-like, she ought by her music to charm into life the rocks and trees.

"You want some lessons to correct a few technical errors," he said at last, "and then you ought to be able to hold your own at Queen's hall or St. James' with the best of them. If I could believe in the transmigration of souls, I would swear the lost soul of some repentant sinner is imprisoned in your violin."

He spoke with the generous enthusiasm of genius, mere talent is sparing of praise and begrudges success.

"I can never play in public," she answered, briefly, with a painful flush that testified to her sensitive recognition of physical defects.

"Ida on a public platform! Why they'd never see her!" interpolated a jovial elder brother with the brutal candor admiring friends had sometimes mistaken for frank geniality. "We call her the Diminished Seventh," he added, with a conscious smile that betrayed the originator of the questionable pleasantry.

Poor Diminished Seventh! She winced as from a blow, and Austin, with the intention of covering her confusion, observed with ready tact:

"I suppose because the minor harmonies are most perfect and least understood."

That evening was but the forerunner of many similar. Scarce a day passed without Austin Marshall contriving to spend some time with the deformed musician. And as the days lapsed into weeks, and the weeks into months, it was noted that when Ida played alone her airs were more romantic than before. And even her unmusical family became infected with their gayety; her mother (who frequently alleged she could enjoy good music as much as anyone—if she could only get it) was cheered to the verge of joyful anticipation. For who knew that Ida might not attain the supreme height of inspiring dance-music, such as her mother loved, and abandon forever those ghoulish wails she said were classical.

But when the old doctor noticed the change he shook his head in apprehension, while tears of pity filled his eyes. His profession had trained him to read the longings of the heart as well as the infirmities of the tenement it inhabited, and if all he thought and dreaded were true—! Had things been different! If Ida had not been distinctly isolated by nature from the sweetest gifts that life can hold!

And one evening came the crisis the good doctor feared.

"I shall miss all this dreadfully when I'm away," Austin said, as he turned over a pile of music for a particular duet. "I'm going north in a day or two, you know—didn't I tell you?" he added, answering the unspoken question.

"Next autumn, when I am back again," he said, presently, feeling vaguely that something was wrong, "we shall have some more pleasant evenings together, I hope."

Ida spake not. For a moment she was conscious of naught save a terrible sense of absolute despair and a curious buzzing in her head like the repeated twanging of the G string. Going away—and until the autumn! Why, by that time she might be dead and buried. She looked round vacantly, as one gropes blindly in the dark for some familiar object. She tried to speak, but the words refused to come. Something like a dry sob rose and was strangled in her throat. Then, without a single word, she took up her bow again and drew it softly across the vibrating strings. Austin looked up in momentary surprise. Then he sat spellbound while she played the weird "Romance" of Svendsen's, once heard, never forgotten.

He had heard it played by more than one finished musician; but this was a different rendering. It was like the despairing cry of a lusty swimmer falling close to shore, or the wail of a lost soul striving to escape from the sea of torture and driven by a host of fallen angels. In those strains he read her heart plainly, as though speech had passed between them; he knew the bitterness of her life; he saw the vista gray and barren before her; and when the last notes died away he learnt in a brief glance from Ida's eyes all the strange discords had not confessed.

It was but for an instant. For, in the next, overcome by the strong excitement she had just experienced, the bow slid helplessly from her nerveless fingers and she fainted.

Symptoms of little moment in an ordinary person might in her case prognosticate the worst, and any new phase, however slight, was at once submitted to medical opinion. In the present instance, as she failed to respond readily to the customary treatment, Austin hastened for his father while she was carried to her room. She had over-excited herself with her music was the general explanation of the seizure, and this was what the doctor was told when he answered the hasty summons. In a brief space, however, she yielded to his restoratives, and before he left the house she had dropped into a sleep quiet and natural.

For some time father and son went homeward in silence. Then the doctor asked abruptly:

"Does Ida know you are going away?"

"I told her this evening," Austin answered, and in some confusion as he recalled the way she had received the news. "Father, do you know—"

"Ah! That accounts for it," said the old man, as though speaking to himself. "Yes. Do I know what?"

"Well—I think—that is, I'm afraid—that Ida ——" He stopped short, for the confession was alike tender and humiliating. But his father, who had feared such a contingency well-nigh from the first, understood what had been left unsaid.

"I know, Austin, I know. But what is to be done? The friendship that you have felt for her—that she believes she has felt for you—has been the one bright spot in her life. Seventeen years old—and seventeen years of perpetual martyrdom. Do you know how long I give her to live?"

"I suppose that when she is twenty-one—" Austin began, but the doctor cut him short.

"If she lives to see the spring," he said, gravely, "I shall be surprised."

The young man was startled, even shocked. There was silence between them for a few moments. Then the doctor said, with hesitation:

"Austin, I suppose you would not think of putting off your visit to the Harrisons? I know Marian expects you—but I think if she knew the pleasure you would be giving that poor child whose days are numbered, she would be the first to bid you stay. In a case like this there can be no question of disloyalty to her. And, Austin, —if you can—for Heaven's sake let her still believe that she has found the affection she has craved all her life. The deception won't be very long, and it will comfort her more in her last struggles than I—or the entire college of physicians—could hope to do with all the science that the world has ever known!"

Five weeks later, in Ida's bedroom a thin ribbon of spring sunshine had struggled through a crevice of the window-blind and lay a bright streak across the floor. Outside, the garden was cheerful with the song of birds and the rustling of leaves. Inside, sat the little cripple propped up with pillows, her pitiful vitality burning itself slowly away.

She knew she was dying, but the knowledge brought her no fear. Perhaps she believed that if eternity held for her worse torture than she had yet endured she had served on earth an apprenticeship to pain long enough to fit her for it. Perhaps Austin Marshall's companionship and sympathy during the last few weeks were making the end comparatively easy. At any rate, when the door was opened quietly and he looked in, violin in hand, she greeted him with a grateful smile.

"Like to have some music?" he asked, cheerfully, though he was pained to mark each day how her hold on life was weakening. "What shall I play?"

"Give me mine," she said, suddenly, "and we'll play together."

The violin lay, as usual, on the table close by, but Austin hesitated.

"If you really feel equal to the exertion," he began, and then, answering the command in her eyes, he passed it to her without another word.

With tremulous fingers she drew her bow across the strings, and, recognizing in the opening notes her favorite "Lied," by Schubert, Austin softly followed, and in a moment was so absorbed he scarce noticed how her bowing became gradually weaker, until it faltered and stopped just before the concluding bars. He looked up in sudden apprehension. Surely her face had not worn that strange gray shadow just before?

"Ida!"

She did not move.

"Ida! What is the matter—what is it?"

She opened her eyes, but they fell on him without a gleam of recognition. Then she dropped them on the violin she was still holding. A faint smile rested for a moment on her lips. With an unsteady hand she mechanically raised her bow. Then, with one chord—that of the Diminished Seventh—it dropped from her relaxing hold, but not before Austin had involuntarily concluded the phrase, so that the Diminished Seventh was resolved into perfect harmony.—Black and White.

A Rather Tough Prelacy.

A journey of nearly seven hundred miles through the bush was necessary for the new bishop of Mashonaland, South Africa, to reach the center of his diocese, and he says: "It was a very rough journey, with scarcely any sleep and little food. On Sunday afternoon, after many hours' traveling in choking dust and heat, we rested for an hour at a wayside shanty of poles and mud. Prospectors were lounging around, and one man had put on a clean shirt, but all were hearty and glad to see the bishop. I expect that I was the only bishop in the world on that particular Sunday, sitting astride a plank, cutting slices of 'biltung' with my pocket-knife, and washing them down with digger tea out of a billy, a sort of tin pot which prospectors carry about."

LOFTY AND LOWLY.

A Story of Two Babies Which Brings Tears of Joy.

One of the women attendants out at the children's sanitarium on the Lincoln park lake shore tells a pretty story, says the Chicago Chronicle.

"A woman who was sick enough herself to be in a hospital came up here with her child. It was a tiny thing, and so weak that it could hardly cry. The mother had to be assisted under the shelter, and then we gave her a reclining place from which she could see the lake. Soon after there stopped in front of the building an imposing carriage and team. The occupants were a woman whose dress indicated riches and refinement, a pretty and elaborately dressed baby, and the nurse. The three came in. The mistress of the party saw the woman and spoke to her. I did not hear what was said at first, but a few moments later I heard the rich woman say:

"'Don't be afraid. I will leave you my child as security.' And with that the rich woman picked up the tiny child that was so weak, and carried it herself to the carriage and got in and was driven away. The nurse and the rich baby remained at the sanitarium and entertained the sick woman, and when the other returned the sick child had on a new dress, and a bunch of sweet peas was fastened about its neck. It was all so quietly done, and so pretty, too, I just went off alone and cried from joy."

MORALS IN RUSSIAN ASIA.

Mock Modesty of Natives Who Are Used to Shocking Sights.

The status of women, which is already too low in Russia itself, is even worse in those parts of Asia which are under Russian control. A respectable lady there will not accept an invitation of a gentleman to any place of amusement unless some member of her own family accompanies her, and this tendency of the really good women to draw the line between themselves and the extreme looseness of the lower classes has resulted in a prudishness which proved rather embarrassing a year or two ago to Thomas G. Allen, Jr., whose account of his bicycle trip across Asia so interested the readers of the Century magazine a few months ago.

The particular instance in question he relates as follows:

"Whenever exercising on the wheel we had adopted the English custom of turning over the upper portion of the stocking to leave the kneecap free for action, but, far from suiting the exquisite sensibilities of Tashkent society, this feature of our professional costume was looked upon as actually indecent. On this particular occasion a certain epauletted individual accosted us rather abruptly and, with a supercilious glance at our knees, informed us that our 'indecent exposure' had produced considerable abashment among his lady companions. Of course we retired at once to avert the disastrous effects of a second esthetic shock, but we wondered at the same time how it was that a community which could connive at social scandals and look with equanimity upon the half-naked natives working on the street should be so disconcerted at the sight of a kneecap."

A TREE SUNSTRUCK.

Hot Weather Puts an End to a Large Maple.

The editor of Meehan's Monthly tells of being summoned to hold an inquest over a dead sugar maple tree. It was supposed to have been destroyed by a leak in the city gas main, near its roots, but an examination convinced Mr. Meehan that the tree had died literally from sunstroke.

This maple had been planted on the street about twenty-five years, and was some four feet in girth. The trunk, however, instead of being cylindrical, was shaped like a triangular prism, a peculiarity owing to the fact that on three sides of it the inner bark and wood had been killed, while the outer bark continued to cover up the injury so that the only living wood was at the angles of the trunk. Practically no more than one-third of the surface of the trunk was alive, and when the exceedingly warm weather came the limited number of ducts were not sufficient to supply the moisture needed to meet the rapid transpiration from so large a surface of foliage, consequently the leaves wilted and the tree died.

Whenever the trunk of a tree takes on this angular form it should be examined under the bark, and if the flatter portions are found dead the bark and the decaying part of the wood should be wholly cut away and the denuded part painted to check the rotting. In time healthy wood may grow over such a scar, and the life of the tree may thus be eventually saved.

Not a Good Likeness.

It is not always easy to recognize the "gentlemen and ladies of sculpture." No wonder the old lady in the following story, taken from the Evangelist, was somewhat in doubt: In the "monument room" of Trinity church is a large marble tablet put up in memory of the late Bishop Hobart. It is a bas-relief, representing the bishop as dying, and sinking into the arms of an allegorical female figure, probably intended for the angel of death. Years ago an aged couple from the country were shown about the church, and when they reached the tablet they paused long before it. At last the dear old lady spoke. "That's a good likeness of the bishop," she said, "but"—here she regarded the angelic personage attentively—"it's a poor one of Mrs. Hobart. I knew her well, and she didn't look like that!"

Her Inconsistency.

"I'm sorry," she said gently, "that I cannot be all that you wish in your life. But I will always think of you as a very dear friend."

"Thank you," he said.

"And if there is any way I can ever assist you by advice or endeavor do not hesitate to call on me."

"That's downright kind of you," he replied, greatly cheered. "You can help me."

"How?"

"You see, so long as you have declined to be mine, I thought I'd propose to Miss Binkins, and if you'll see her and put in a good word for me, you know—"

And that's why she jumped up and went away huffy, and vowed she'd never speak to him again as long as she lived.—Washington Star.

AN OLD WILL.

How George Washington's Mother Disposed of Her Property.

Copy of the Ancient Document That Is Still to Be Seen on File at Fredricksburg, Va.

"In the name of God! Amen! I, Mary Washington, of Fredericksburg, in the county of Spottsylvania, being in good health, but calling to mind the uncertainty of this life, and willing to dispose of what remains of my wordly estate, do make and publish this, my last will, recommending my soul into the hands of my Creator, hoping for a remission of all my sins through the merits and mediation of Jesus Christ, the Saviour of mankind; I dispose of all my worldly estate as follows:

"Imprimis—I give to my son, Gen. George Washington, all my land on Accokeek Run, in the county of Stafford, and also my negro boy, George, to him and his heirs forever. Also my best bed, bedstead and Virginia cloth curtains (the same that stands in my best room), my quilted blue and white quilt, and my best dressing glass.

"Item—I give and devise to my son, Charles Washington, my negro man, Tom, to him and his assigns forever.

"Item—I give and devise to my daughter, Betty Lewis, my phaeton, and my bay horse.

"Item—I give and devise to my daughter-in-law, Hannah Washington, my purple cloth cloak lined with shag.

"Item—I give and devise to my grandson, Corbin Washington, my negro wench, old Bet, my riding chair and two black horses, to him and his assigns forever.

"Item—I give and devise to my grandson, Fielding Lewis, my negro man, Frederick, to him and his assigns forever, also eight silver teaspoons, half of my crockeryware and the blue and white tea china, with book case, oval table, one bed, bedstead, one pair sheets, one pair blankets and white cotton counterpane, two tablecloths, six red leather chairs, half my pewter and one-half my iron kitchen furniture.

"Item—I give and bequeath to my grandson, Lawrence Lewis, my negro wench, Lydia, to him and his assigns forever.

"Item—I give and devise to my granddaughter, Bettie Carter, my negro woman, little Bet, and her future increase, to her and her assigns forever; also, my largest looking-glass, my walnut writing desk, with drawers, a square dining table, one bed, bedstead, bolster, one pillow, one blanket and pair of sheets, white Virginia clock, counterpane and purple curtains, my red and white tea china, teaspoons, and the other half of my pewter crockeryware and the remainder of my iron kitchen furniture.

"Item—I give to my grandson, George Washington, my next best dressing glass, one bed, bedstead, bolster, one pillow, one pair of sheets, one blanket and counterpane.

"Item—I devise all my wearing apparel to be equally divided between my granddaughter, Betty Carter, Fanny Ball and Milly Washington—but should my daughter, Betty Lewis, fancy any one, two or three articles, she is to have them before a division thereof.

"Lastly—I nominate and appoint my said son, Gen. George Washington, executor of this, my will, and as I owe few or no debts, I direct my executor to give no security nor to appraise my estate, but desire the same may be alloted to my devisees, with as little trouble and delay as may be, desiring their acceptance thereof as all the token I now have to give them of my love for them.

"In witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and seal, this 20th day of May, 1788. MARY WASHINGTON.

"Signed, sealed and published in our presence, and signed by us in the presence of the said Mary Washington and at her desire. John Ferneyhough, James Mercer, Joseph Walliker.

"(Registered in the clerk's office at Fredericksburg, Va.)"—The Spirit of '76.

Most Difficult Piece of Music.

A number of the most celebrated of French pianists were recently asked to state the piece which they found it most difficult to execute. The answers are naturally most varied. There is a general agreement that difficulties of style are much less easy to overcome than those of technique. From the standpoint of mechanical difficulty, M. Marmontel thinks Beethoven's Sonata Op. 3 the most redoubtable piece. M. Diemer and M. Plante accord the palm to Balackireff's L'Islamey, and M. Pfeiffer finds himself embarrassed between the claims of Liszt's "Rhapsodies and Studies," Tausig's "Transcriptions" and Alkan's "Variations." M. Delabrode discreetly and enigmatically replies that the most difficult piece for him is invariably the piece which he happens to be playing at any moment. To M. de Beriot the modest scale—demanding as it does the most perfect equality throughout—is the supreme difficulty, and one must work at it, he declares, until one's last breath.

A Wily Scotchman.

Was not this the retort courteous? It was the custom in Scotch parishes for the minister to bow to the laird's pew before beginning his discourse. On one occasion the pew contained a bevy of ladies, and the minister, feeling a delicacy in the circumstances, omitted the usual salaam. When they next met the laird's daughter—a Miss Miller, widely famed for her beauty and afterward countess of Mar—rallied the minister for not bowing to her from the pulpit. "Your ladyship forgets," replied the minister, "that the worship of angels is not allowed by the Scotch church."

He Would Get It.

Lord Cockburn, though a successful defender of prisoners, failed on one occasion to get an acquittal for a murderer. "The culprit," Mr. Croak James tells us, in his "Curiosities of Law and Lawyers," "after the sentence fixing his execution for the 20th of the month, had not been removed from the dock when his counsel passed him, and was then seized by the gown. The prisoner said: 'I have not got justice, Mr. Cockburn.' To this counsel gravely replied: 'Perhaps not, but you'll get it on the 20th.'"

A NICE AUDIENCE.

It Was So Because It Was Compelled to Be.

Daniel Frisbee, once a newspaper man, now an actor, tells the San Francisco Call:

At one place called West Union, in Iowa, we had the oddest experience I have yet met with. We played in a hall thirty feet underground that had formerly been two saloons, the stage being composed of dining tables. Though the theater was packed with people, we might have been playing to wax figures for all the interest they exhibited in the play. There was not one laugh or sign of applause from the beginning to the end of the performance. We noticed a man going up and down the aisles, but did not pay much attention to him until he came behind the scenes after the show and was introduced as the proprietor of the theater—the ex-saloonkeeper.

"Pretty nice lot of an audience," he remarked to me with the pride of ownership.

"Yes, quite a lady-like one." I answered; "very gentle and timid."

"They've got to be. I walk up and down the aisles with a club, and if I see anyone making a noise I throw him out."

And that accounted for the silence. The people stood in such awe of the saloonkeeper that they did not dare to smile.

If a luckless wight smiles it never smiles again.

A DOG'S QUEER TRICK.

Evidence of Reasoning Power Shown in His Actions.

A dog and horse owned by Col. W. J. Hulings, of Oil City, Pa., says the Derrick of that city, afford the neighbors considerable amusement. The animals are companions and full of intelligence. The horse has learned to pick and untie all sorts of knots, and unless the door is fastened by a padlock it is impossible to keep him in the stable during the present hot weather, with the lawns in the neighborhood offering overpowering temptations in the way of juicy, clean grass. This trait gives the dog much trouble, for the horse pays no attention to his barking or sharp nippings, but keeps trespassing on the colonel's lawn or that of neighbors without discrimination. After trying by all manner of stratagems to get the horse back into the stable where he belongs, the dog will give up the job in disgust, rush into the house, and by barking or dragging at the dress of some of the lady members of the family, entice them to the window or yard, and as plainly as if he told in words show that the horse is in mischief. This performance has been repeated a dozen times during the summer and in no case has the dog begged outside assistance until he had tried by every effort of his own to persuade his companion to return to the stable.

CORNS AS WEATHER PROPHETS.

Said to Be Infallible by a Man Who Uses Them.

"Do you know that the best weather predictor in the world," said a well-known physician to a Philadelphia Record reporter, "is a well-developed hard corn on any of the principal toes? I have one on the third toe of my right foot that informs me of a coming change in the weather far more reliably than the signal service man with his wealth of scientific instruments. Of course, I keep the corn well pared, but that doesn't make a particle of difference with the merit of it as a prognosticator. Just about twenty-four hours before a change in the weather the corn begins its predictions by a sharp pain that I can only liken to a red-hot needle being thrust into the joint of the toe. The pain is intermittent, and for this I am thankful, for if it should pain without pause it would drive me daft. I can assign no cause for the phenomenon, nor have I ever been able to get a reason from the hundreds of doctors I know, many of whom are afflicted the same as myself. A great many of my patients are possessed of a similar infallible barometer, and many of them have come to me for relief. But the only relief I can suggest is to remove to a country where the weather never changes."

NOT SAVED BY HIS RANK.

German Emperor Was Hazed by the Students at Bonn.

Dr. W. Clark Robinson, of Edinburg, was a classmate of Emperor William of Germany at Bonn, says the Boston Transcript. Telling of his first meeting with the German emperor he said the other day: "It was in the fall of '78 when I first met the emperor. He was a student at Bonn. I shall never forget the amusing spectacle he presented. You know it is the custom of the students at Bonn to take a daily plunge in the waters of the Rhine. For the new man this is a trying ordeal. When they go down to the Rhine to take their first swim they are repeatedly ducked by the older students until they cry for mercy. Everyone was on the lookout for the prince's initial appearance, and when he ventured into the river he was ducked unmercifully. But William would never give up. Down again and again went the future emperor's head, but he pluckily refused to give up. Finally, when he had reached the verge of total collapse, he was pulled out of the water looking more like a drowned rat than a live man. It took us nearly twenty minutes to bring around Germany's future ruler."

Frigid Dullness Fashionable.

The order has gone forth that the manners and customs of the Russian court are to be remodeled on the English system. The said manners and customs have always had more of barbaric splendor than of western refinement about them, but, although life under the new regime will be much more respectable, it will not be half so amusing, and it will be interesting to see how St. Petersburg society will take to the change. As an example of frigid dullness English court life would be hard to beat.

A Little Overawed.

W. S. Gilbert, the celebrated librettist, was lunching, not long ago, at a country hotel, when he found himself in company with three cycling clergymen, by whom he was drawn into conversation. When they discovered who he was, one of the party asked Mr. Gilbert "how he felt in such a grave and reverend company." "I feel," said Mr. Gilbert, "like a lion in a den of Daniels."

CHEE FOO, CHINA.

The Oriental Watering Place Where the Recent Treaty Was Signed.

Chee-Foo, where the treaty of peace was signed between China and Japan, and which also goes by the name of Yen-Tai, is one of the best known ports in the northeastern part of China. It is situated at the head of one of the bays of the Gulf of Petchili and is in the neighborhood of two of the most prominent places in the recent Chino-Japanese war. It was here that the peace of 1876 between England and China was signed; by which three new ports of entry were opened to foreign commerce. The signing of the treaty on the 8th of last May between the two inimical brothers of the far orient has given Chee-Foo a new historical importance. From June 8, 1850, until the Chino-European war, France had occupied Chee-Foo without any interference from foreign powers.

It is thickly populated, having one hundred and twenty thousand inhabitants, according to the consular reports of 1891. In summer it is a fashionable watering place like Trouville and Brighton. It

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FRIDAY, - - - OCTOBER 25, 1895.

DEMOCRATIC STATE TICKET.

For State Treasurer,
BENJAMIN F. MYERS, of Harrisburg.
For Judges of Superior Court,
HARMON YERKES, of Bucks county.
PETER P. SMITH, Lackawanna county.
J. S. MOOREHEAD, of Westmoreland county.
C. H. NOYES, of Warren county.
OLIVER P. BECHTEL, of Schuylkill county.
CHRISTOPHER MAGEE, of Allegheny county.

DEMOCRATIC COUNTY TICKET.

For Prothonotary,
WILLIAM O'BRIEN, of Johnstown.
For Register and Recorder,
D. A. McGOUGH, of Ebensburg.
For District Attorney,
JAMES M. WALTERS, of Johnstown.
For Poor Director,
JOHN O'HARA, of Munster township.
For Coroner,
Dr. WILLIAM RAUCH, of Johnstown.
For Surveyor,
S. W. MILLER, of Johnstown.

Snow has fallen every day for a week and there has been good sleighing for two days, the earliest on record at Michgamne, Mich., in Baraga county, a few miles west of there, there is more than a foot of snow in the woods.

THE statement published that Senator Quay is in favor of the nomination of Thomas B. Reed, of Maine, as the Republican candidate for the presidency in 1896 will enable a majority of the Republicans of Pennsylvania to know who they are for. The Camerons for a long time informed them who they were for but now that duty is performed by Quay.

IT is a duty you owe the commonwealth as a citizen and a true man to go the polls on the 5th of November and assert yourself for honest government. Let no excuse keep you away from the polls, and let no petty party boss persuade you that Quay and misrule can give to the people of Pennsylvania a respectable and honest administration of its affairs.

ACCORDING to a letter received at the navy department from the commander of the United states steamship Yantic, the steamship San Francisco left Montvideo on September 16 with more than 1,200 Spaniards enlisted for service in the Spanish army in Cuba. About 100 were deserters from the Spanish service who re-enlisteded to secure pardon, while the others were from Uruguay. Nearly all the volunteers were boys.

THE high-tariff protectionist organs in Philadelphia will certainly not claim that there is a grand army of 40,000 voters in that city who are too poor to pay 50 cents once every two years for the privilege of voting. And yet it is boldly asserted, and has not been denied, that the Republicans have purchased 40,000 tax receipts. The only conclusion that can be arrived at is that it takes 40,000 fraudulent voters to make up Philadelphia's Republican majority. That ought to make honest men think a little before the coming election day.

THE postoffice department at Washington made public a statement last week, showing receipts of the thirty largest postoffices of the United States for the third quarter ended October 1, 1895, and the increase over a corresponing period of 1894. The statement shows this to have been one of the most prosperous three months in the history of the postal service. The total receipts for the quarter were, $7,400,449 an increase of $666,730 over the same quarter of 1894, and an increase of nearly $800,000 over the same quarter of 1893.

IF the last Republican state legislature had not been ridden by corporation bosses the miners of Pennsylvania would have secured the laws which they demanded should be enacted. The company store curse would have then been blotted out of existence and the wage earner, especially in the bituminous region, would be better satisfied with his lot. The votes of the workingmen having elected that legislature because of the promises that had been made by the Republican party. This is a good year in which to rebuke the Republican party for having betrayed the workingmen.

THE supreme court of Pennsylvania, sitting in Pittsburg, handed down by Mr. Justice Dean, last Thursday, its decision on the appeal from the opinion of Judge Simonton, of Dauphin county declaring the restrictive clause of the act creating the superior court unconstitutional. The supreme court decides that Judge Simonton is wrong; that the law is constitutional, in line with the intent of the legislature and those who framed the constitution. Therefore, the voter is permitted to vote for only six candidates for judges of the superior court, although seven are to be elected. We may add that this style of voting has been in practice for many years, as everybody knows, in the case of inspectors of election, county commissioners and jury commissioners.

THE Harrisburg correspondent of the Philadelphia Sunday *World*, a well-known Republican organ, boldly asserts that Mr. Quay's declaration for reform in political and legislative methods is a game of bluff. He says: "There is not a man in politics in Pennsylvania that doesn't know that Boss Quay never has made a campaign, national or state, except on a cash basis. There never was a leader who depended, as Quay does, upon reaching the desired end through the corrupting influence of cash." He also says that, "each and every Republican state employe can be made a witness to the fact that Quay has levied an assessment," and he further says, "from the highest to the lowest they are now paying their annual assessment of 3 per centum to the state committee, the only exceptions being the laborers in Capitol Park, who receive one dollar and a half a day." So much for Mr. Quay's little "Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde" act.

THE following is the platform in full adopted the Democratic state convenat Williamsport. Every voter should read it and then cast his vote for the Democratic nominees.

First. The Democratic party, in State Convention assembled, hereby renews its allegiance to and declares its faith in the principles of Democracy as formulated by Jefferson and illustrated by Madison, Monroe, Jackson and Cleveland. It congratulates the American people upon the first fruits of the Democratic administration, which inherited from its Republican predecessor a bankrupt Treasury and unwise financial legislation, impaired public credit and widespread disaster, and which, under the sagacious, courageous and patriotic leadership of its great President, Grover Cleveland, led the people out of the slough of despondency to the high ground of substantial and increasing prosperity.

We challenge the fairness of our countrymen and ask that the Democratic party now receive the benefit of that renewed prosperity whose welcome note is heard on every side.

Second. The enactment of the Sherman silver-purchasing act and the McKinley tariff law found, as accurately predicted by Mr. Cleveland, their results in bankrupt railroads, closed factories, ruined farms, abandoned fields, impaired national credit and general disaster. The repeal of such iniquitous legislation and the substitution of more moderate tariff laws have found their immediate results in the resumption of business and the restoration of the national credit.

Third. As vindicating the principles of tariff reform, to which the Democracy is unalterably pledged, we challenge especial attention to the fact that such prosperity and the consequent material increase of wages has been most pronounced in the industries whose existence our opponents claimed were dependent upon high tariff duties. The gloomy prediction that the iron and steel industries of Pennsylvania would be destroyed by a reduced tariff has been contradicted by their present unexampled prosperity.

Fourth. We invite the attention of the wage earners to the fact that the present voluntary increase of wages of those employed in the manufacturing industries, amounting to not less than $250,000,000, was absolutely unknown under the McKinley tariff act. To prevent the reactionary legislation threatened by the Republican party of Pennsylvania in their recent State Convention, which would again depress business by destroying faith in the stability of present conditions, we invite our fellow-countrymen throughout the land, irrespective of party, to so act together as to insure, by the election of a Democratic President in 1896, the maintenance of the present prosperity.

Fifth. We especially reaffirm so much of the platform of the last Democratic National Convention as calls for the use of both gold and silver as the standard money of the country; but the dollar unit of coinage of both metals must be of equal intrinsic and exchangeable value, or be adjusted by international agreement, or by such safeguards of legislation as shall insure the maintenance of the parity of the two metals and the equal power of every dollar at all times in the payment of debts. We believe that such parity could not be maintained by the free coinage of silver at the ratio of 16 to 1, and we are, therefore, opposed to any legislation looking to that end.

Sixth. We arraign and condemn the present administration, both in the executive and legislative branches of the government, for its refusal to reapportion the State, in accordance with the mandates of the Constitution; for its prodigate waste of public money; for its creation of private awards and useless public offices; for its degradation of the public service in factional contests; for its unnecessary increase of official salaries to the detriment of many deserving charities of the State; for its legislation favorable to the interests of corporations and monopolies.

Seventh. We challenge comparison between this State administration, which has been so faithless to its pledges, and the wise, economical and honest administration of Robert E. Pattison, which in the stainless purity of its record silenced partisan malignity and justly merited and received the almost universal approbation of the people of this Commonwealth.

Eighth. We especially invite the sober consideration of the people of this State to the remarkable factional struggle in the Republican party, a struggle which involved no principle of public policy, but simply the supremacy of contending factional leaders. The worst arraignment at our hands of Republican misrule falls short of what representative Republican newspapers and leaders testified of each other. The admitted prostitution of the public service, the location of corporate influences, the misuse of Judicial appointments and consequent prostitution of the Judiciary, the corrupt use of money in the purchase of delegates, the attempted terrorism at Harrisburg by men of the most abandoned type, fix the high water mark of political debauchery. It but needed to complete its infamy the transparent hypocrisy which led a convention, thus constituted, to adopt "with hearty" resolutions condemning the very methods by which its delegates had been selected. Such condemnation of "The growing use of money in politics; the corporate control of the Legislature, municipal Councils, political primaries and elections; the enslavement of public officers and employes; favoritism in granting contracts and the granting of exclusive franchises to public peeseed thes," while valuable as evidencing the truth of the accusations of the Democratic party in the last quarter of a century, yet coming from the very source which is responsible for these evils, constitutes the crowning insult to the intelligence of a forbearing and long-suffering people

THE most amusing statement in relation to the loose management of the state treasury that has been made in this campaign appeared in Quay's especial champion, the Philadelphia *Inquirer*, the other day. This paper asserts that anything Treasurer Jackson might say will be believed everywhere, and then goes on to defend the present system of farming out the public funds to favorite banks—that unless this practice was followed some of the banks would be wrecked and the people who deposited in them would be great losers. If this were a fact the people should have no confidence in our present national banking system.

The people place their money in banks for accommodation, but more especially for safety, and no national bank is expected or allowed to depend on a possible state deposit through the favoritism of the state funds. The *Inquirer* further says, "that some of the banks have come to consider the state money as their working capital." If that is so, for what do we have national bank examiners? If the handsome dividends of a few favorite banks in Pennsylvania depend on the pleasure of a Republican state treasurer and the public funds, those banks are not honest or square to their hundreds of depositors, and the sooner they close their doors the better it will be for the people who have any money to deposit; and, likewise, the sooner we have an honest man like Benjamin F. Meyers in the state treasury the better it will be for the taxpayers.

THE editor of the Bellefonte *Watchman*, scores a good point in the following: Talk about Democratic treatment of old soldiers. Why there are more people on the pension rolls to-day than ever before in the history of the country; the vast majority of old soldiers in Center county who have held public office have done so through the medium of the Democratic party. The very head of the Republican party in this state to day, Governor Hastings, is the man, who, not six months ago vetoed the bill to give old soldiers the preference in the disposition of offices at Harrisburg and yet they cry about Democratic unfriendliness for the old soldiers. Why the Democratic party is the only friend they have.

WE cannot say that the legislative investigation committee, appointed at the last session of the legislature, will not get to work before election day, but every man with an atom of common sense knows that the Republicans will take good care that no startling disclosures are forthcoming until after the battle has been fought and won on November 5.

Washington Letter.

Washington, D. C., Oct. 18th, 1895.—Carry the good news to Dixie. Mrs Cleveland and the ladies of the cabinet will probably accompany President Cleveland and his entire cabinet when they leave Washington for the Atlantic exposition, next Monday. Mrs Cleveland did not intend to go, but when she learned how disappointed the thousands who had never seen her but hoped to do so at the exposition and en route would be if she did not she, with her usual good nature and obliging disposition, has been almost persuaded to change her mind and go.

President Cleveland and all the members of his cabinet met for the first time in several months at the regular cabinet meeting this week. The meeting was more in the nature of a friendly social gathering than one of business, although there was some exchange of opinions and informal discussion of important matters bearing upon the coming session of congress.

Sympathy for the Cuban revolutionists is a perfectly natural feeling in the hearts of Americans, but the zeal of an enterprising newspaper publisher of Washington, in pursuit of popular free advertising for his property, has caused a number of more or less prominent business men to allow their sympathy to run away with their good judgment and to join in a public call for a mass meeting to be held in Washington for the purpose of publicly expressing sympathy for the revolutionists. The meeting will be held, and the resolutions of sympathy adopted; but under existing circumstances it is an ill-advised affair, implying an entirely unnecessary and uncalled for lack of confidence in the administration to deal properly with the Cuban affair. The aforesaid enterprising publisher has been seconded in this scheme by Republicans, who hope there by to embarrass the administration, President Cleveland is probably as fully conversant with the present status of affairs in Cuba as any man in the United States and holding meetings in Washington or elsewhere, will neither delay nor expedite matters. He will do his duty regardless of his own or the sympathy of others.

Assistant attorney general for the post office department Thomas—he's a clever fellow, a good lawyer and a good Democrat, notwithstanding that long title—in his annual report to Postmaster General Wilson leaves no doubt of his opinion of those business concerns which adopt lottery methods to attract customers. After giving the number of lotteries which have been shut out of the mails by the anti lottery law, which he declares has sounded the death knell of lotteries in this country. Mr. Thomas in his report says: "But many business men think they must, in order to succeed, resort to schemes that appeal to the gambling spirit of the people, and they accordingly sugar-coat their legitimate enterprises with lottery advertisements. These fascinating and apparently innocent schemes reach the boys and girls of the land and tend to make them gamblers." The rebuke is sharp, but no thoughtful newspaper reader can deny that it is deserved, nor that it is needed by some business concerns.

Mr. Harrison's managers are losing their shrewdness, if they approve of or are responsible for a political fairy story that was circulated in Washington this week. Talk about a thing making a horse laugh, if such a thing were possible this story would do it. The preface to the story sets out that it was Tom Platt and his wicked anti Harrison associates, and not the immaculate Benjamin, who stabbed Morton in the back at the Minneapolis conventaon of '92 and gave the vice presidential nomination to Whitelaw Reid. And as if that were not a sufficient perverson of facts for a single story, it proceeds to tell that Mr. Harrison doesn't want next year's nomination to go to Reed, McKinley or Allison, but to his bosom friend and one-time running mate, Governor Morton. Governor Morton has not proved himself to be as good a politician as he is a business man, but nobody in Washington believes that he can be fooled by any such story as this. He knows that Mr. Harrsion was in telegraphic communication with the men who controlled the Minneapolis convention, and that one word from him to John C. New would have prevented the Whitelaw Reid deal being carried out. He also knows that the friendship now so publicly proferred is but the Judas-like precursor of another stab in the back, if the opportunity to administer it occurs.

A great many cock and bull stories are being told concerning bargains made by the Democratic senators with the Republican senators for a reorganization of the senate and a division of the committee chairmanships etc. No such bargain has been made. Just before the last session of congress closed there was an informal talk about some arrangement. but it was not participated in by more than half a dozen senators and they had no authority from their colleagues to make any bargain. I do not say that some such arrangement may not be made, but I do say that it cannot be made by two or three senators. M.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U. S. Gov't Report

Royal Baking Powder

ABSOLUTELY PURE

A Couple Confesses Murder.

Toledo, O., October 21.—Mr. and Mrs. Enos Larkins, who are held in jail at Monroe, Mich., for the murder of Mrs Merrill, have confessed their crime. Larkins, in his terror, has startled the authorities by alleging that his wife and several relatives have been guilty of murder.

Mrs. Larkins maintains that Larkin choked Mrs. Merrill to death. She standing by and witnessing the deed Larkins declares that Mrs. Larkins beat the old lady's head with a stick until she was dead. After the victim's death Mrs. Larkins insisted on cremation and carried her point. A brush heap was hastily built and her body was partially consumed.

Larkins then told the story of his wife's past life, intimating that she was the cause of the untimely death of two illegitimate children. He also declared that she told him her sister, Mrs. Simpson had made way with her husband. He said that he had heard that Mrs. Larkin's brother, who last spring murdered his sweetheart and then committed suicide, had previously "put away" a former lover.

Seemed to Die Twice.

Norristown, Pa., October 17.—Apparently two deaths were suffered by the little son of Harry Granfield and his wife, No. 755 Chain street, West Norristown. The little fellow seemed to have expired at 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon.

As the case was one in which the board of health requires prompt burial, an undertaker was immediately summoned and the body was prepared for burial. Interment was to be made this forenoon. About 9 o'clock in the evening the distracted parents decided to take a look at the face of the supposed dead child.

Their grief was turned to joy by the discovery of signs of life. The physician was called, and the child was revived, and there were strong hopes for recovery. At 3 o'clock this morning a change occurred suddenly, and death resulted finally.

Insane From Torture.

Uniontown, October 20.—Miss Mollie Ross, the victim of the outrages of robbers, has been declared to be insane and will be removed to a hospital. Miss Ross is seventy one years old, and lived by herself, in a lonely place. She was reported to have a large sum of money in her possession and became a mark for the notorious gang which ravaged this country for years.

One night the robbers broke into her house and made a search for her money, but were unsuccessful in finding any. They began to torture her to force her to reveal the hidden treasure. She stoutly disputed their right to the money, and the robbers carried her to an open grate and held her feet in the burning coals She was tortured in this manner for some time, but the robbers did not get the money. Miss Ross never recovered from the effects ot this cruel treatment.

Senate Investigation.

Philadelphia, October 21.—The senatorial committee to investigate Philadelphia met to night and agreed upon Monday, November 11, to begin its investigation. This decision was reached following a lengthy conference with officials and attorneys of the Citizens Munilipal association for the $20,000, which it has pleged for the expenses of the senatorial investigating committee. an appeal is issued for contributions from citizens to whom are addressed circulars dated October 15.

Chairman Andrews, of the senate investigating committee, went to New York to-day, it is stated, to consult Recorder Goff on how to go about the investigation, as he sometime ago, volunteered to give the committee all the assistance in his power.

Shot by a Black Lover.

Brooklyn, October 21.—Because a white woman of whom he had become enamored refused to reciprocate his passion, James T. Smith, a negro, yesterday shot her and then blew out his brains. Smith diad instantly. Mary Short, the woman whom he shot, is still alive, and the surgeons at the Long island hospital, to which she was taken, said that there was hope that she would recover. Her age is 27, and she has been employed as the janitress of the Wallace building in Pine street, New York city, where Smith was engineer. Smith visited the Short woman at her home, and proposed marriage to her. The proposition made her angry, and she ordered Smith to leave the house. The tragedy followed.

Outside Aid Saved the Town.

Scranton, Pa., October 21.—A disastrous fire occurred early yesterday morning at Foster, a village on the Lackawanna road, twenty miles north of here The flames originated from the explosion of a lamp in I. W. Tiffany's store, and consumed three stores, two dwellings, two barns and the Methodist church. A high wind wasb lowing, and the residents were almost powerless to check the flames, as the town has no fire department. A telegram was sent to Halstead, fifteen miles up the road, and a steamer and hose cart from that town were sent by a special engine to Foster. The run was made in fifteen minutes, and the destruction of the greater portion of the village averted.

Millionaire Mackey's Son Killed.

Paris, October 21.—John W. Mackay, Jr., the elder of the two sons of John W. Mackay, the bonanza king, 24 years old, was killed last Friday by being thrown from his horse. He was dragged a great distance before those who witnessed the accident and went to the rescue could stop the pony. The head of the young man was battered to such an extent as to render the face unrecognizable. The accident happened in the afternoon and the young man died six hours later without recovering consciousness.

A Heavy Forger's Flight.

Memphis, October 19.—A. K. Ward, the absconding treasurer and manager of the Memphis Barrel and Heading company, left here with his wife on the south bound Illinois Central train Tuesday afternoon, and it is thought he took passage for Honduras on the steamer Breakwater, which left New Orleans on Thursday. It is now thought that Ward's operations in forged paper will exceed $200,000. All of the paper was negotiated here.

Turkey's Promised Reforms.

Constantinople, October 22.—Official communication embodying the Armenian reforms has been made public through the Turkish press. It is carefully worded, in order to show that the reforms are in perfect harmony with the existing laws so as to avoid exciting the Turks. In addition to the reforms already known to have been approved by the sultan the communication says that the inhabitants will be protected by troops when they visit the mountain pastures, and that they will thus be able to obey the law which provides that they are not to carry arms. The nomadic tribes will be settled upon lands which will be granted to them by the government.

Baby Killed by Drinking Whisky.

Marlboro, Mass., October 2.—The report of Medical Examiner Adams on the death of a 2-year-old-child, the son of Patrick Connolly, shows that the child died from drinking whisky. The investigation reveals a horrible case of depravity. Is seems that Connolly came home in an intoxicated condition with an eight ounce flask of whisky in his pocket. The whisky he gave to his wife, who, after drinking, passed it to the children. The elder boy, not caring for the the liquor, gave it to his baby brother, who drained the bottle. The little fellow sank into a stupor and died soon after.

The Vice President at Atlanta.

Atlanta, October 19.—Vice President Adial E. Stevenson, accompanied by his wife and daughter and Miss Ewing, reached here yesterday and went directly to the Kimball, where a suite of rooms had been reserved for them. Mr. Stevenson will leave here on Monday, the day before the arrival of the president. Efforts are being made to induce him to remain over as one of the guests of honor on president's day, but he announces that an important business engagement will prevent his doing so.

NEWS AND OTHER NOTINGS.

—A ton of good coal is said to yield about 8,000 cubic feet of gas.

—Two hundred years ago the skirt of a dress was always called the base.

—In drawing a bucket of water from the canal at Bloomsburg, Mrs. John James fell in and was drowned.

—While boiling apple-butter at New Salem, York county, Mrs. Henry Zarbaugh was burned to death.

—The Pennsylvania railroad on Friday began work on a big reservoir at Bellwood to supply its Altoona car shops.

—Pulling a lighted lamp upon herself, the infant daughter of Oscar K. Miller, of Harrisburg, was burned to death.

—Scranton authorities have gone to Boston, Mass., to bring back Crisenzo Merola, who is accused of murder.

—Of 243 public school teachers in Columbia county, 241 on Monday attended the teachers' institute at Bloomsburg.

—Governor Hastings granted a respite until November 26 for A. W. Woodley, who was to have been hanged in Allegheny county on Monday.

—The mutineers in Goa refused to accept the amnesty offered by the Portuguese officials, and have committed further acts of violence and spoliation.

—Two little boys from New York city, John McPartland and Thomas Gordon, ran away from home and were found on Sunday in a freight car at Easton.

—Seventeen kegs of powder at the Upton Andrews quarries, near New Castle, blew up, burning Superintendent Elmer Miller, E. R. McCullough and Chauncey Hall.

—Cyrenius Howe, ex-sheriff of Clearfield county, died at his home in Clearfield on Wednesday of last week aged 77 years. His wife and four children survive him.

—Dan Benton, town marshal, was killed, and Andy Coyle, Frank Stevens and Frank Smith were seriously wounded in a battle in the town of Goldfield, Col., in which shotguns and rifles were called into play.

—While workmen were excavating for the foundation of a new house near Antes Fort, Clinton county, on Thursday, they unearthed a vein of limestone and underneath this a 10-foot vein of red hematite iron ore.

—Owing to the total failure of the Grapeville gas field, the Southwest Gas company has abandoned its lines and is digging up the mains. The company supplied Mt. Pleasant, Scottdale, Connellsville, Uniontown, and all the coke towns along the lines.

—A. L. Firpo and W. H. Darling, two young mechanics, tried to rob a bank at Anaconda, Mont. They used such a large charge of dynamite that it nearly destroyed the building. Firpo was caught on the roof and Darlington fell, breaking several ribs, and was arrested.

—Among the products which science has put to valuable service is the nettle, a weed which is now being cultivated in some parts of Europe, its fibre proving useful for a variety of textile fabrics. In Dresden a thread is produced from it so fine that a length of 60 miles weighs only 2¼ pounds.

—A few days ago Thomas Jordan, of Bedford, was shaking chestnuts from a tree when the limb on which he was standing broke, and down came Tommy, chestnuts, and all. Tom fell on his head and arm and was unconscious for some time, his right forearm being fractured and his head injured.

—A horrible fate on Friday overtook James R. Sweeney, a young shaftsman, in the Bliss mine, at Hanover, Pa. He was precipitated to the bottom of the shaft, 400 feet deep, and was crushed to death. He was repairing the the cribbing of the shaft when the bucket descended and smashed his scaffolding.

—Mayor William L. Runyan, of Danville, Ill., was indicted by the grand jury for malfeasance in office. The specific charge is that he hindered the city marshal from destroying gambling material which the city council ordered destroyed. The mayor is in Buffalo, N. Y., and will be arrested on his return. His bond was placed at $500.

—Two freight wrecks occurred on the Middle division of the Pennsylvania railroad Saturday morning. The first one was at Mapleton and six cars were wrecked. The other occurred at Warrior's Ridge, four miles from Huntingdon. One eastbound freight ran into another eastbound freight, wrecking two engines and fourteen cars. Pacific express was delayed four hours.

—C. W. Heoffer, of Greenville, O., Republican candidate for state senator, sent a letter to the Democratic state committee, offering to vote for any person the committee should name for United States senator if the committee would pay him $1,500. This was refused. The letter being published, Heoffer confessed to writing it, resigned his candidacy and the Republican committee of Darke county nominated Jacob Bower in his place.

—A serious runaway accident occurred on the public road between Saxton and Riddlesburg on Sunday evening about 9 o'clock. Alex. McIntyre and Miss Syster daughter of Daniel Syster, of Saxton, were out riding in a buggy when the horse took fright at a couple of mules and ran away. Both occupants of the buggy were thrown down an embankment. McIntyre had his skull fractured and was badly bruised. His life is despaired of. He is aged about 25 years, and resides at Six Mile Run, where he is employed as a bricklayer. Miss Syster had an arm broken.

—Edwin Schug, a well-known hotel keeper and horseman, and John Hank were each sentenced on Monday, at Easton, Pa., to six months' imprisonment and ordered to pay $300 fine, by Judge Scott, for attempting to dissuade a witness. Schug was only released from jail a few days ago, after serving a three months' sentence for selling liquor on Sunday. The witness which Schug and Hank had tried to dissuade was George Fuhr, who convicted Schud at a former trial. Hank, who is an aged man, was Schug's bondsman. When the sentence was pronounced Schug fell to the floor and had to be carried from the court room.

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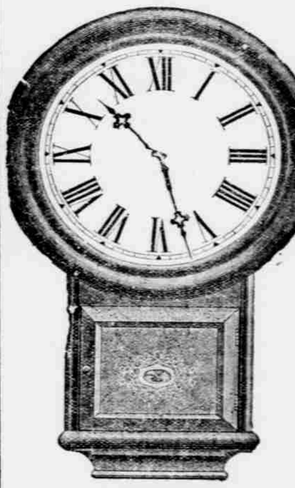

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ALVIN EVANS,
Ebensburg, Pa., Sept. 27, 1895. Auditor.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.
Estate of Philip Noel, deceased.
Letters of administration on the estate of Philip Noel, deceased, late of Munster township Cambria county, Pennsylvania, having been granted to me, all parties indebted to said estate are hereby notified to make payment to me without delay, and those having claims against the same will present them duly authenticated for settlement.
V. H. NOEL,
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LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

...t Monday is Argument Court.

...Ed. O'Brien, a former resident of ... has removed to Cresson.

...Ossie Wilkinson, of this place, is ...g friends in Johnstown.

...tered water is sold in Altoona by ...lon for drinking purposes.

...even Litzinger, of Loretto, spent a ...urs in town on Wednesday.

...V. P. Sanker, of Cresson, was a ...r to Ebensburg on Wednesday.

...mes W. Kilduff, of Gallitzin, was a ...r to Ebensburg on Wednesday.

...orge T. Swank, editor of the Johns... *Tribune*, was in town on Wednesday.

...r. J. B. Wilber took up his residence ...s building on High street on Thurs...

...rs. C. H. Perry, of Chest Springs, ...d friends in Ebensburg on Friday

...rs. Myers, an aged widow of Reade ...ship, a few days ago fell on her porch ...oke her arm.

...rs. R. E. Jones has been ill for sev...days during the past week but will ...e able to be about again.

...r. Christ Shinafelt is moving into ...dwell property on High street re...ovated by Mr. J. B. Wilber.

...harles Weaklen, of this place, who ...n absent for several months in Buf..., N. Y., returned home on Monday.

...avid M. Rager, one of West Taylor ...ship's oldest citizens, died at his home ...st township on Sunday, aged 81 years.

...William McManamy, of White town... was thrown out of a wagon on ...sday of last week and painfully but ...t seriously hurt.

...The barn of George Gutwald, in Gal..., caught fire from some unknown ...se on last Friday afternoon and was ...ost totally destroyed.

...John Gonic, a Hungarian laborer, of ... White, who had been sick for some ..., died on Saturday while being con...ed to the Altoona hospital.

...Edgar Walls, a five-year-old Altoona ...l had the first joint of the middle finger ...f right hand torn off on Monday by ...ng it between the cogs of a washing ...hine.

...A successful chicken and waffle supper ...s given by the Ladies' Mite Society of ...M. E. Church at the residence of Dr. ... Davison in this place on Thursday ...ing of last week.

...Professor T. L. Gibson is attending ...e teachers' institute at Williamsport ...week and during his absence County ...perintendent Leech, is presiding over ...e Ebensburg schools.

...A son of Ernest Yonkins, of Gallitzin, ...Friday last climbed on a passing wagon ...in some manner got one of his legs be...een the spokes of a wheel and had it ...en in two pieces.

...A large barn belonging to J. R. Buter...gh, of Centre township, Indiana county, ...s destroyed by fire at an early hour on ...Sunday morning. A horse and cow ...rished in the flames.

...A fire, started it is thought, by hunt...s who tried to smoke out a squirrel, has ...ady destroyed hundreds of acres of ...ber on Warrior's Ridge, near Hunting...on, and is still burning.

...A large black bear was seen crossing ...e public road between Nicktown and ...rolltown one day last week. He was ...ding north and was no doubt looking ...r his old friend John Lantzy, of Elder ...wnship.

...Col. J. P. Sanford, the noted traveler ...d lecturer, who has delivered several ...ctures before teachers' institutes in this ...e, has lost his mind and become a men...l wreck. All his lecture engagements ...ve been cancelled.

...A case was recently tried in the Clear...ld county courts which shows how a ...ll matter may be carried to extremes. ...man was arrested and indicted for steal...g a rutabaga turnip, valued at six cents. ...e trial cost the county $300.

...Forest fires are raging in Reade town...p in the vicinity of Glasgow and the ...ple are anxiously looking for rain. ...ch damage to standing timber has al...dy been done and in some cases fences ...d buildings have been endangered.

...Joseph M. Miller, a farmer residing in ...merset township, Somerset county, ...ed the following crops on his 180-acre ...m this season: Twenty five bushels of ...ver seed, forty of beans, seventy of rye, ...ty of barley, 150 of wheat, 300 of potatoes ...d 350 of oats.

...Mr. John Smith, of Barr township, on ...turday went to Summerhill with a load ...f marketing. On his return trip one of ...s horses took sick with colic and he was ...mpelled to stop in Ebensburg. His ...se continued growing worse and on ...nday night died.

...At a miner's meeting held in South ...rk on Wednesday it was decided to re...ne at work. The meeting was largely ...tended and the vote to not strike was ...unanimous. About fifty miners from ...ay, Portage, Benscreek and Dunlo were ...t in attendance at the meeting.

...William M. Stewart, a Philadelphia ...ker and banker, dropped dead at the ...me of his brother-in-law, F. G. Clopper, ...Johnstown, on Wednesday morning. ...r. Stewart was a native of Indiana ...unty, where he lived and practiced law ...r many years. He was 70 years of age.

...Mrs. Mary Williams, of Claysville, aged ...0 years, went visiting up in Tioga county ...a few weeks ago, and while there wander...d off and got lost. It was a week before ...y trace of her could be found, when her ...ad body was discovered in a forest. She ...d likely wandered about until exhausted ...d death was the result.

...Thousands of tons of coke were burned ...o ashes at the Mammoth works, in West...reland county, on Tuesday, because ...fficient water could not be procured to ...rquake the ovens at the proper time. As ...a result the works are only running half ...time, and it is possible that a complete ...ut-down will have to be made.

...Saturday morning an 8-year-old son of ...John Murphy, of Summit Mines, near ...outtdale, was burned to death. The boy ...was playing in front of an open grate and ...is clothes caught fire. His mother was ...t visiting and knew nothing of the hor...ible affair until she returned and found ...e charred body of the boy lying in the ...all.

...William, the 16-year-old son of Mr ...Adam Hoover, of Newry, Blair county, ...accidentally wounded himself with a shot...un while out hunting on Wednesday ...orning of last week. Three fingers were ...rown from his left hand, the shot lodging ...n his hip. Medical aid was summoned ...nd the physicians think nothing more ...erious will result.

...While Constable McFreely, of Altoona, ...was hunting in Huntingdon county one ...day last week another hunter mistook his ...hat for a wild turkey and peppered it with ...hot. Five of the shot found a lodgement ...in McFreely's body and had to be dug out ...by a physician. Previous to the shooting ...the men had been calling each other with ...their turkey calls.—*Hollidaysburg Standard.*

—Saturday afternoon John Lobiski and Mike Coninski were caught under a fall of coal and slate at West Overton mine, Westmoreland county. Lobiski was instantly killed. He was about 30 years old and single.

—Lizzie Long, who was arrested at Portage last winter and taken to Westmoreland county to answer to a charge of infanticide, attempted to commit suicide one day last week by taking laudinum at her home in Indiana county. At her trial she plead guilty to the charge of concealing the death of her child and was sentenced to ninety days in jail.

—The property of A. C. Buck & Co., in South Fork, has been sold by that firm to Mr. Arthur L. Dimond, of Ehrenfield. In the deal is included the large store building, now occupied by the above firm as a hardware store, the dwelling adjoining it, the store formerly occupied by I. Goldstine, and the residence occupied by Mr. W. M. Ferguson. The price paid was $9,000.

—Archie Hamlin, a young colored man supposed to belong to Patton, was killed on the railroad at Cresson on Friday evening. His remains were found lying on the tracks immediately after the arrival of Fast Line, but it is not known whether he was struck by that train or by a freight that passed about the same time. His body was taken to Johnstown on Accommodation.

—Deputy Attorney General Elkin has given an opinion that the indigent soldier's burial law refers only to those deceased soldiers and sailors who were interred under the provisions of the law, which authorizes $35 to be expended for the burial of each soldier or sailor who may die without sufficient means to pay his funeral expenses, and a headstone to be erected at a cost not exceeding $15.

—The brake lever on a four-horse wagon load of pit posts, Monday morning, broke while the wagon was coming down a hill near Mt. Pleasant, Westmoreland county, throwing Samuel Miller, who was holding the lever, to the ground. The hind wheel passed over his body and death resulted before the young man's father, David Miller, who was doing the driving, could secure medical aid from town. The victim leaves a wife and one child.

—The miners in the vicinity of Patton, along with representatives from Hastings, Barnesboro and Spangler, at one of the most representative gatherings of miners ever held in that section on Saturday, unanimously decided not to go out. The miners after comparing notes were satisfied it was a move of outsiders to urge a strike, and they would be no party to the movement. It is probable that the miners will get an advance before long.

—On Saturday afternoon Mrs. Caroline Kessler, of White township, was having a clearing burned. A short time after the clearing had been set on fire, the wind carried some sparks to the barn, which set on fire some dry corn fodder that had been stored on the barn floor, and in a short time the structure was in a blaze. It was impossible with the means at hand to subdue the flames and the structure, with its contents, including a calf and a hog, were consumed. The loss is estimated at about $800, with no insurance.

—Rev. Father Morgan, of Coalport, died on Wednesday morning at 12:45 of typhoid fever, after three weeks' illness. Deceased was born in Detroit, May 6, 1869, and was ordained a priest by Bishop Mullen at Erie, October 21, 1894. He was appointed to the parish at Titusville, where he was stationed until two months ago, when he was sent to Coalport. Father Morgan is survived by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Morgan, and one brother, Albert, all of Medina, N. Y. The remains will be taken to Medina for interment this (Friday) morning.

—A two-horse carriage, in which were riding F. L. Thompson, Mrs. Mabel Smeltzer, Miss Emma Coulter, and Miss Lulu Etwood, all of Blairsville, was run down by Fast Line east on Saturday night at the railroad station at Latrobe. The horses—a handsome team of grays—were killed, the carriage demolished, and the occupants thrown out and injured, but not seriously. They were badly shaken up. Fortunately for the party, the train was running slowly, preparatory to stopping at the Latrobe station at the time; otherwise they would probably have been killed.

—Lewis James, an old and respected citizen of Morrellville, died at his home in that place on Tuesday, aged 77 years. The deceased was born and raised in Cambria township, about four miles west of Ebensburg, where he continued to reside until about six years ago when he removed to Morrellville. He is survived by his wife, whose maiden name was Dunmire; one son, Stephen, of Rosedale; one daughter, Sarah F., wife of John Hess, of Morrellville, and one brother, Thomas, who resides in the state of Ohio. The funeral took place on Thursday afternoon, interment being made in Benshoff's cemetery.

—Mrs. Margaret Barnicle, one of the oldest residents of Altoona, died at 5:40 o'clock on Tuesday evening. Her death was caused by diseases incident to old age, she being in her ninetieth year. Mrs. Barnicle was born in Harrisburg on March 28, 1806. Her maiden name was Margaret Gillespie. While yet young she moved to Carrolltown, this county, with her parents. Several years before the death of Demetrius A. Gallitzin, the distinguished prince-priest, she kept house for him. When she was twenty-seven years of age she was married to Philip Barnicle. He died in 1873 at Chest Springs. For five years she had lived at Altoona.

Strike is a Failure.

Phillipsburg, Pa., Oct. 21.—The strike in this part of the central Pennsylvania bituminous coal fields has proved a failure. The miners in the Clearfield region, Houtzdale and Osceola were all at work this morning. In the Beech Creek region a majority of the mines are working to-day. The miners employed in the mines that did not work attended a mass meeting here to-day and decided to resume work to-morrow. A mass meeting of the miners in the Houtzdale region has been called for Tuesday night, at which W. P. Wilson, master workman of the Independent Order of the Knights of Labor, will be present. The advices from DuBois and Punxsutawney are that all the Berwind-White company's miners and about two-thirds of the Buffalo, Rochester and Pittsburg company's men are at work, while the mines of the Bell, Lewis & Yates company are idle, the men having been on strike for the past six weeks.

Marriage Licenses.

The following marriage licenses were issued by the Clerk of the Orphans' Court for the week ending Thursday, October 24, 1895:

John B. Andrews, Mt. Savage, Md., and Kate Doyle, Johnstown.

Elmer Roberts, Cambria township, and Maggie Jones, Munster township.

Charles Hogue and Mary M. Skelly, Gallitzin.

Mike Dupir and Sidonia Fahuronsky, Johnstown.

James Kane and Mary Mattis, Johnstown.

Harry A. Varner and Rachael A. Callahan, Johnstown.

Alexander C. Bender, Elstie, and Mary C. Carland, Cresson township.

Michael Korhnak and Mary Tokar, Johnstown.

Patrick McGeever and Catharine Greely, Johnstown.

Bernard Thomas Murphy and Rose A. Trainer, Tunnelhill.

Of Interest to Owners of Grist Mills.

The Millers' *Review* of October 15th, 1895, page 285, has this to say to the Milling fraternity: "The long, expensive and stubbornly contested suit brought by H. B. & L. B. Keiper against Charles Miller, of Dillsburg, Pa., is at last terminated by a decree dated September 30th, 1895, in the Circuit Court of Appeals (the highest court to which the case could be carried) in which the validity of the patent granted to Samuel M. Brua is sustained.

As is probably well known the suit was brought against Charles Miller, but was defended by the Cumberland Valley Miller's Protective association, and the decree is entered with the approval of the defendants, as shown by the records, and settles all pending cases.

Taking into consideration the enormous amount of money expended on both sides, we have no hesitation in saying that the present result emphasizes the wisdom of the Pennsylvania Millers State association which settled for their members and accomplished it on a reasonable basis when, as now proven there was so large an element of doubt about the result of contesting the claim."

The patent granted to Samuel M. Brua, covered the process of converting the grain into flour, by roller process, and was not upon any particular kind of machinery used for that purpose, so that all mill owners having mills using any kind of machinery for manufacturing flour, by means of rollers instead of "burrs" are liable to damages for infringment of the "Brua patent."

The owners of the patent have taken steps to collect damages from all mill owners in the United States who have not settled, and procured a license and release.

Messrs. Keiper, the owners of the patent, have retained counsel in every county to press their case against any infringment of the patent: and all mill owners have been notified to settle within a stated time or an action will be instituted against them.

J. F. McKenrick, Esq., of Ebensburg, has been employed for Cambria county.

Real Estate Transfers.

Rosy M. Glass et vir to Thomas J. Stiffler, Susquehanna; consideration, $1.

Administrator of Florentine Hoover to G. H. Sloan, Carrolltown, $450.

Jennie Craver to G. H. Sloan, Carrolltown.

Abner Griffith et al. to A. J. Darragh, $4,200.

John Ashcroft et al. to W. W. McAteer, Cresson, $1.

Thomas J. Stiffler et al. to Cambria & Clearfield Railroad company, Susquehanna, $90.

Margaret P. McConaughy et al. to John M. McConaughy, Lower Yoder, $1.

Assignee of John P. Kintz to Michael Kisslak, Johnstown, $1,200.

H. D. Pryce to Jonathan Owens et al., Ebensburg, $2,500.

Elenora Malzi et vir to John Widmann, Johnstown, $4,500.

Harry Benden et ux. to Patrick Burns et ux., Gallitzin township, $28.

George B. McMullen et ux. to Patrick Burns et ux., Gallitzin township, $500.

Frank J. Thomas to Peter Sharbaugh, Carrolltown, $114.

Rose McGough et vir to William H. Roberts, Portage township, $50.

Anton Weyer et ux. to Julian A. Shifflhauer, Brownstown, $250.

Charles Martin et ux. to Sewell Beckley, South Fork, $600.

John Click et ux. to L. A. Sharbaugh, Carroll, $70.

Elizabeth Devine et vir to Mary Howard, Johnstown, $852.

Maggie E. Sell et vir to Hester Shimbley, Johnstown, $800.

Death of Mrs. Maria Lewis.

Mrs. Maria Lewis, a former resident of Ebensburg, died at her home in Lebanon, Pa., on Sunday morning, October 20, at 1 o'clock, A. M., fortified in her departure by all the Sacraments of the Catholic church, of which she was a lifelong member. The deceased was aged 74 years 6 months and 12 days. She was the widow of Captain Andrew Lewis, who was a member of the old Cambria Guards, a company that was organized in Ebensburg and served through the Mexican war. At the breaking out of the Civil war he went to the front as captain of Company A, 11th Regiment, Pennsylvania Reserve Corps, and was killed in front of Richmond.

Mrs. Lewis removed to Lebanon about twenty-five years ago where she resided up until the time of her death. She is survived by one daughter, Mary, and one son, Andrew J.; also by one brother, William Bruce, of Kansas, and one sister, Charlotte Cameron, of Philadelphia, both of whom were present at the funeral which occurred on Thursday, her remains being interred in St. Mary's Catholic cemetery at Lebanon, after a High Mass of Requiem. May she rest in peace.

Commissioner Found Guilty.

For the first time in the history of Blair county one of its public officials has been convicted of malfeasance in office. On Tuesday morning a jury found County Commissioner John Hurd, of Altoona, guilty of having a pecuniary interest amounting to $156.82, in the public contract for painting the county court house. County Commissioner James Funk, of Duncansville, was acquitted of the same offense. The penalty fixed for the crime is $500 fine and removal from office. This conviction is the result of a sensational investigation of public affairs conducted by the county auditors, which has convulsed the county for the past seven months. The case will likely go to the superior court.

Hurd's attorneys filed a motion for a new trial. They allege that one of the jurors was guilty of misconduct in telling his friends while the trial was yet in progress what verdict would be rendered.

Local Institute.

The following is the program for a teachers' local institute to be held at the Bearer school house in Susquehanna township, Saturday, November 9th, 1895.

MORNING SESSION.

Open at 10 o'clock.

Address of Welcome, L. J. Bearer. Response, R. R. Williams. First Day's Exercise, F. S. Baum. Busy Work, J. E. Woods.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

Open at 1 o'clock.

How to Interest Pupils in Their Work, Mrs. Annie Elwood. Recitations, Gertrude Lantzy, James Cunningham. Is Public Opinion a Correct Criterion by Which to Judge a Teacher's Success, Bert Mock. Best Method of Teaching Grammar, Miss Jenule Glenn. A Teacher's Duty, J. I. Myers.

Program will be interspersed with music. All friends of education are invited.

Stopped Work.

Not a bushel of coal is being mined at Lilly, Ben's Creek, Gallitzin, Portage or Dunlo in this county, the men asserting their determination to hold out for the 5 cent increase demanded by the Phillipsburg convention. The miners at South Fork and Ehrenfeld were expected to come out at noon on Tuesday, but they were at work us to 6 o'clock that evening. A number of labor leaders are at these places, evidently with the intention of inducing the miners to quit. All the men who are idle declare positively that they will not resume until the convention demands are granted, whether the Clearfield district work or not. They claim that they do not propose to be governed by the action of the miners in other districts, loyalty to the action of the convention being their purpose.

About Ebensburg.

Biron H. Butler, a staff correspondent of the Pittsburg *Times*, was in Ebensburg on Tuesday and tells what he knows about Ebensburg as follows:

Ebensburg, Pa., Oct. 22.—After over 100 years of waiting, the ambitions of Rev. Reese Lloyd, a Welsh clergyman, are about to be gratified, for Cambria county is developing in so many directions that Ebensburg, as the county seat, cannot help but share in the glory. And it is time, for she has been forced to a good many bouts to hold her own, to say nothing of her early struggles to become the seat of justice. Rev. Reese Lloyd came to this community in 1794, and John Lloyd, his lineal descendant, says the ancestral acres are now the site of Ebensburg. About the time the pioneer clergyman arrived in the wilderness three other factors in the development of the territory came also. One of these was another handful of Welsh colonists, who were settled upon some lands bought from Benjamin Rush, of Philadelphia, as were also the lands settled by Mr. Lloyd. Lloyd's followers and companions were Welsh, but they were not affiliated with the other Welsh colony, which settled at a point about two miles from Lloyd, calling their place Beulah. Both colonies were a good class of people, and they left so strong an impression on the population of the immediate vicinity that the English language was almost a stranger about Ebensburg in the early part of the century. Now it is the other way, and the Welsh tongue is nearly forgotten, although Welsh blood flows in the veins of many of the foremost people.

An ambitious attempt was tried by the colonists and the land holders at Beulah to make of the place a great city. The town was plotted on a somewhat magnificent scale, and the lots reached almost to Ebensburg as they were laid out on paper. To help the project along a newspaper was issued. A number of families settled in the town, and it bid fair to become what it aspired to be. The town was sought by early travelers. A corduroy road that forked near Beulah sent one branch to Pittsburg and one to Indiana. The place was on the main thoroughfare, such as it was, and wagoners who came through managed to stop at Beulah three nights on their trips each way. The first night they came within a few miles with their loads, which they left, taking the teams to the Beulah tavern yards. By the second night the loads were hauled over the miserable roads to Beulah. The third day they had not gone so far on the road but that they could return to the hospitable tavern for food and shelter.

For a number of years Buelah flourished, and was a conspicuous point on the route from the East to the West. Then in the early part of the century, a piece of Somerset county was chopped off, and with some of Huntingdon and Bedford a new county was created and called Cambria. The Scripture tells us the Lord knoweth the way of the righteous. Being a pious man, Reese Lloyd saw his town after a bitter contest made the county seat. Buelah, when Ebensburg gained the one thing worth contending for, suffered a grave disappointment. About the same time she discovered that the lands upon which the town was founded were rocky and unhospitable. With Ebensburg to take the precedence, she had no reasonable excuse to exist, and she discretely yielded up the ghost. To make matters worse, when the Pittsburg and Indiana pikes were built, one passed to the north and the other to the south of her, and Buelah was left with her impassable corduroy road away from the haunts of men.

The end came quickly. Her people deserted. The houses fell into ruin. Trees grew in what were designed as the streets of a city. To-day the crumbling walls of some of the old cellars can be seen, and perhaps a chimney or two. But that is all that is left of a town established fully 100 years ago.

While the two Welsh settlements were having their war to the death they were not alone in it. Some Irish families from the North of Maryland, possibly some of the followers of Lord Baltimore, came up into the mountains and a short distance east of the Welsh settlements they had founded the prospective city of Munster. Prince Gallitzin, a Russian and a priest, was sent to minister to them. He founded the Loretto settlement, now the site of 300 or 400 people besides the seat of a monastery and convent. The convent is soon to be transferred to a fine, large building now in course of erection at Cresson.

Munster made a brave effort to overshadow the Welsh settlements, but the Welsh preacher was steadfast and saw his town gain the prize. Munster is not so completely wiped from the face of the earth as Beulah, for it has still a few inhabitants. But it is overshadowed by Loretto, the town created by Gallitzin. A few miles south on the Pennsylvania railroad is the village of Gallitzin, named after the dead priest, now a place of probably 2,000 souls. Gallitzin is even larger, if anything, than any of the towns that struggled for the supremacy in the location of the county seat.

After Ebensburg had seen Beulah and Munster drop out of sight, Ebensburg flourished. The pike was built through from the east to Pittsburg, and it was a highway of importance. Wagon trains, stages and travelers moved back and forth. "I have seen the street out there," said John Lloyd, "lined with white-covered Conestoga wagons and their fine big horses as far up and down street as you can see. Magnificent horses they were, and they hauled great loads of freight." Ebensburg, during the days of the pike was a red-hot town, with great prospects. But the Pennsylvania canal came, and it passed through to Hollidaysburg and freighted over the mountains at the Portage. From 1840 up to the past few years Ebensburg has had small boast to make of its advancement. But the country is rich in coal, and to the north mines are opening. Railroads flirt with coal mines like a lover hangs about the girls. In consequence Ebensburg is now not only on a line of road, but that road is pushing into the coal fields. A short distance to the eastward roads have penetrated to the north. Situated on the summit of the Alleghenies, with some of the finest farms of the State all about her, a climate as invigorating as wine, and a mountain view that spreads before the spectator in whatsoever direction he may turn. Cambria's county capital seems destined to be not only the seat of justice of a prosperous territory, but also a commercial center of considerable magnitude, and the summer home of a class of people who appreciate the romantic and the delights of nature.

It is odd that the Land of Beulah is in "Pilgrims' Progress" a Valley of Peace and preparation for entrance to the Beautiful City, and that the rock "Ebenezer," from which Parson Lloyd named Ebensburg, is a commemorative altar to the Lord. Possibly the Beulah people did well to pass on to the more fortunate town.

Things Are Different Now.

The Johnstown *Tribune* has secured the ballot printing. The work will be well done, and at a price very much lower than $1,800.—*Gosling.*

Strange that the *Gosling* is not jumping on to the commissioners for not having a letting. The time was when the *Gosling* was crying loud and deep against ballots being printed without a letting. But ever since the *Gosling* a couple of years ago succeeded in getting the job of printing the ballots and in making such a botch of the job that the commissioners abandoned the plan, the *Gosling's* wails in that direction have subsided.

Miscellaneous Notices.

WANTED.—A general representative in this county to organize local boards for the Artisans' Savings and Loan Association. Address 91 Fifth Ave., Pittsburg, Pa. mch22

WANTED.—A reliable man to represent a loan institution in Cambria county. Money loaned in sums of $100 to $10,000. For particulars apply to W. M. DAVIS, Coalport, Pa. mch29tf.

LOST between James Kirk's farm and Ebensburg, on the old plank road, a gum blanket. The finder can leave it at the FREEMAN office. 9-27. GEO. W. SCHERRY.

THE Ebensburg Building & Loan Association will offer for sale at the council chamber, Ebensburg, on the fourth Monday in October, $1,000.00. THOS. DAVIS, President.
LESTER LAMMER, Secretary.

AT THE OLD RELIABLE.

Everybody, and especially the oyster-loving people of Ebensburg, are invited to call at Robt. McBreen's Old Reliable Restaurant, when they want good, fresh Oysters, by the pint, quart or gallon. Or you can have them Stewed or Fried, all at the lowest price. Fresh Oysters every day. oct11tf

NEW OYSTER PARLOR.

On and after Monday, October 7th, I will open up an oyster parlor in the room of M. D. Bearer, on Julian street, Ebensburg. Stewed Oysters Fried Oysters, and Oysters by the pint, quart or gallon. Fresh Fish will also be kept on hand. Parties leaving their orders will have their Oysters or Fish delivered. JAMES H. GANT. oct4 1m

Orphans' Court Sale
OF VALUABLE
REAL ESTATE!

BY virtue of an order of the Orphans' Court of Cambria county, to me directed, I will expose to public sale at the store of H. P. Eberly, in the township of Munster, Cambria county, Pennsylvania, on

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 26, 1895,

at one o'clock, P. M., the following described real estate, viz:

No. 1.—The one undivided half part or interest in two certain lots of ground situate in said village of Munster, bounded on the north by the turnpike, known as Huntingdon street; on the east by Clearfield street; on the south by Popular lane, and on the west by lot No. 138, being known and designated on the plan of lots of said town of Munster as lots Nos. 136 and 137, and having thereon erected a two-storied

PLANK HOUSE.

No. 2.—All that certain piece or parcel of land situate in said township of Munster, bounded on the north by land of Samuel Noel; on the east by land of James Noon; on the south by the Cambria & Clearfield railroad and by the turnpike; on the west by land of the estate of Cornelius Dever, deceased, and by land of the estate of Augustine Durbin, deceased, containing

48 Acres and 116 Perches.

Reserving and excepting, however, two small portions thereof, aggregating three acres more or less, which Philip Farren in his lifetime sold and conveyed to the Cambria & Clearfield Railroad Company.

TERMS OF SALE:

Ten per cent. of the purchase money to be paid in hand at the time of sale; the balance of one-third at the confirmation of sale; one-third in one year from the confirmation of sale, and the remaining third in two years from the confirmation of sale. Deferred payments to bear interest and to be secured by judgment bond and mortgage of the purchaser.

H. P. FARREN,
Administrator of estate of Philip Farren, dec'd.
Munster Twp., Oct. 4, 1895.3t

Administrator's Sale
OF VALUABLE
REAL ESTATE!

BY virtue of an order of sale issuing out of the Orphans' Court of Cambria county, the undersigned Administrators of William Tomlinson, late of Allegheny township, deceased, will expose to public sale at the house on said premises on

SATURDAY, NOV. 2, 1895,

at 2 o'clock, P. M., all that certain piece or parcel of land situate in Allegheny township, Cambria county, Penna., adjoining lands of John Rabus and D. R. Moore, beginning at a post, thence north 39 degrees east 20 perches to a post; thence north 50 degrees to a post; thence west 146 perches to a post; thence south 25 degrees West 85 perches to the place of beginning, containing

76 Acres and 26 Perches,

more or less, and having thereon erected a TWO-STORY PLANK HOUSE. There is also on the land a small Orchard of good Fruit Trees; Hemlock and Hard Timber, White Pine, Shingle Timber. The land faces to the southeast and it will make an excellent farm. There is also on the land a fine spring of water. The land is about one mile from Amsbry Coal Works and is underlaid with valuable coal. About 10 acres are cleared and in good state of cultivation.

TERMS OF SALE.

One-third of the purchase money to be paid on delivery of the deed, and the balance in two equal annual payments with interest, secured upon the premises by bond and mortgage of purchaser.

BRIDGET TOMLINSON.
GEO. SEYMORE.
Administrators of Wm. Tomlinson, deceased.
Oct. 11, 1895.

HEIST'S
PUBLIC SALE
—AT—
BELMONT COTTAGE,
EBENSBURG, PA.

THE undersigned will offer at public sale at Belmont Cottage on

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 26, 1895,

at 1 o'clock, P. M., the following property:

4 full blooded Holstein Cows, 1 Jersey Cow, 2 Spring Wagons, 6 or 8 dozen good Chairs, large lot of Bedsteads, Springs, Cots, Mattresses, etc. Large lot of Glass and Queensware, together with a variety of other articles.

Also, 20 pairs full blood Light Brahma Fowls.

T. H HEIST.
Ebensburg, Pa., Oct. 11 1895.3t.

PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD.

Schedule in effect May 20, 1895.

Connections at Cresson.

EAST.

Seashore Express, week days	6 30 a m
Altoona Accommodation, week days	9 25 a m
Main Line Express, daily	10 09 a m
Altoona Express, daily	1 00 p m
Harrisburg Accommodation, Sundays only	1 07 p m
Mail Express, daily	5 17 p m
Philadelphia Express, daily	8 12 p m

WEST.

Johnstown Accommodation, week days	8 14 a m
Pacific Express, daily	8 37 a m
Way Passenger, daily	2 06 p m
Mail Train, daily	4 26 p m
Fast Line, daily	8 28 p. m
Johnstown Accommodation, week days	8 34 p m

Ebensburg Branch.

Trains leave as follows: 7.20 and 10.20 a. m. and 3.30 p. m. and arrive at Cresson at 7.57 and 10.52 a. m. and 4.05 p. m. Leave Cresson at 9.30 and 11.10 a. m and 5.30 p. m., and arrive at Ebensburg at 10.06 and 11.45 a. m., and 6.05 p. m.

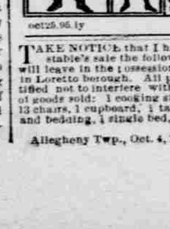
Cresson and Clearfield.

Leave Irvona at 6.45 a. m. and 3.00 p. m. arriving at Cresson at 8.05 a. m. and 4.20 p. m. Leave Cresson 9.35 a. m. and 5.20 p. m., arriving at Irvona at 10.55 a m. and 6.40 p. m.

For rates, maps, etc., call on agent or address THOS. E. WATT, P. A. W. D., 110 Fifth Ave., Pittsburg, Pa.

S. M. PREVOST, General Manager. J. R. WOOD, General Manager.

Ebensburg Fire Insurance Agency
T. W. DICK,
General Insurance Agent,
EBENSBURG, PA.



FAT FOLKS REDUCED PATIENTS TREATED BY MAIL FOR PARTICULARS CALL OR ADDRESS WITH 6c STAMP O.W.E.S.NYDER M.D. 1007 Broadway, N. Y. City.

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TAKE NOTICE that I have purchased at constable's sale the following property which I will leave in the possession of Mrs. C. B. Conrad, in Loretto borough. All persons are hereby notified not to interfere with said property. List of goods sold: 1 cooking stove, 1 heating stove, 13 chairs, 1 cupboard, 1 table, 1 lot carpet, 1 bed and bedding, 1 single bed, 1 clock, 1 clock, 1 desk.

W. RUDOLPH.
Allegheny Twp., Oct. 4, 1895.

H. ORTH'S

A combination of values such as the BIG STORE alone can give will be spread before its patrons for Fall and Winter. Just an indication of Modern Storekeeping is to be found in these items.

CLOTHING.

Men's all-wool sack Suits in black, blue and gray for $5.98; men's Suits, box coats, all sizes, for only $3.48; men's Cutaways, dark, blue and black, for $9.50; men's Cutaway Suits, all sizes, $5.50; youths' black and blue Suits for $2.00 and up—the $2.00 Suits are worth more money, so we must reduce them.

Boys' Saits, age from 4 to 15, for $1.25—they are latest cut, very fashionable and dressy. Buy one for a school Suit. Boys' Knee Pants for 15, 25, 35 and 50c. Men's jean Pants for 65c. up to $1.50; men's scuff Pants, $1.00, $1.25 and $1.50; men's dress Pants, pin stripe, all shades, for $2.00 up to $6.00.

BUY AN OVERCOAT NOW.

We are selling them for $3.00—their value is three and four times as much but we are bound to sell them. Come early and get your size—they won't last long. All the latest Hats and Caps for Fall and Winter wear can be found here. A full line Gents' Furnishings. Fashionable and up-to-date Neckwear at close figures.

DRY GOODS.

Plaid Dress Goods, double-width, at 12c. up to 25c. per yard. Lancaster Ginghams at 5c. per yard. Calico, the best, at 5c. per yard. Bleached or Unbleached Muslin, 5c. Novelty Dress Goods at 10c. All-wool Flannel at 30c. Lumbermen's Flannel at 30c. Ladies' Wool Skirts frm 65c. to 85c. 10-4 Bleached Sheeting for 18c. 5-4 Pillow Casing for 12c. Ladies' Fleece-lined Underwear, all sizes, for 25c. Children's all-wool Underwear, 16c. to 50c. Ladies' natural wool Vests for 85c. All colors Yarn at 6c. per cut. The celebrated R. & G. Corset for 75c. A complete line of Shawl Fascinators in all colors. A full line of ladies' and children's wool Hose at very low prices.

FURNITURE.

☞ TO THE OLD FOLKS.—Do you need any certain piece of Furniture to replace the article that has been worn out or broken? If so, come to us—we have it.

☞ TO THE YOUNG FOLKS.—Are you thinking of going to house-keeping? If you are, consult our prices on everything in that line before buying. We can save you money.

Style, Fit and Comfort
in Fall and Winter Shoes.

Our Fall and Winter Stock is now complete in all departments. Also a complete line of Rubbers for men, women, and children. Our prices are as low as the lowest, considering quality. We sell no shoddy goods. An inspection is all we ask. To wear our Shoes means comfort. Will you try them?

H. ORTH,
CALLITZIN, PA.

☞ N. B.—A Lunch will be served to all buyers out of town. Call and try it.

DENTISTRY.

Do you know we are taking out teeth every day without one particle of pain?

Well, we are doing this very thing with "Odontunder," the only local anæsthetic that has stood the test and to-day it is the only one that is used universally by dentists who are up to date in their calling.

The price for "Odontunder" when painless is 50 cents, but if you experience the least pain, we only charge you the usual price, 25 cents.

How about those teeth that need filling? Well, you say they don't ache. That's just the reason why you should have them filled now. After they have ached once you will probably have to have the nerve killed and the tooth treated if you are desirous of saving it. I only charge 50 cents for amalgum fillings and from $1.00 up for gold fillings. These are hard-time prices but they go just the same. Why procrastinate?—that's a big word but it's a good one right here because procrastination means to the patient loss of sleep, neuralgia, ear-ache, tooth-ache and goodness knows what else. We know of a good many young ladies of our acquaintance who would have been married long ago if it hadn't been for those horrid-looking teeth. Remember, to every patient having teeth filled I give a box of Dr. Richards' tooth powder and full instructions for the care of the teeth. On the 13th of each month I will extract teeth free of charge. You say why on the 13th. Well, now, that's my business. All you have to do is to come. Remember I won't take out your good teeth, because I don't believe in it. Then you say suppose the 13th falls on Sunday. Come right along and we will be only too glad to relieve you of the offending member.

T. M. RICHARDS, D. D. S.,
JULIAN STREET.

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ASSIGNEE'S NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that by deed of voluntary assignment, dated the 23rd day of September, B. P. Anderson and Mary J. Anderson his wife, of the township of Allegheny, assigned to me all the property, real, personal and mixed, of the said B. P. Anderson, in trust for the benefit of creditors. All persons indebted to the said estate are notified to make payment to me and those having claims against the same will present them properly authenticated for settlement.

A. W. BUCK.
Ebensburg, Pa., Oct. 4, 1895.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.

Letters testamentary on the estate of John Hilgert, late of Cresson township, Cambria county, deceased, having been granted to the undersigned, notice is hereby given that all persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment, and those having claims or demands against the same will present them properly authenticated for settlement.

NICHOLAS HILGERT,
Executor of John Hilgert, deceased.
Cresson, Pa., Oct. 17, 1895.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.

Estate of Christian Walters, deceased. Letters testamentary on the estate of Christian Walters, deceased, late of White township, Cambria county, Pa., having been granted to me, all persons indebted to said estate are hereby notified to make payment to me without delay, and those having claims against said estate will present them duly authenticated for settlement.

MARGARET WALTERS.
Coalport, Pa

DAMAGING TESTIMONY.

Durrant's Evidence Shown to Be Unreliable.

HIS ENTIRE DEFENSE SWEPT AWAY.

A Witness Testifies to a Sensational Interview With the Accused While In Jail. Asked to Compare Notes, But Had None of His Own.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 23.—At the opening of court the defense in the trial of Theodore Durrant announced that it had finished its case, and the taking of testimony in rebuttal was at once begun by the prosecution. The testimony was the most important given during the trial, as it conflicted with several vital statements made by Durrant while he was on the stand. The testimony of Dr. Gubert F. Graham, for instance, is considered by many to sweep away Durrant's entire defense.

Graham, who is a medical student and an intimate friend of Durrant, told of a sensational interview that took place between himself and the prisoner at the county jail on April 20. Dr. Graham was accompanied to the prison by J. S. Dunnigan, a newspaper man, who was asked by Durrant to retire after he had been there a few minutes. Graham said that after Dunnigan stepped aside Durrant asked him if he would let him see his notes of Dr. Cheney's lecture in order that he might compare them with his own. Graham demurred at first, after which he said Durrant stated frankly to him that he had no notes of the lecture. He said Durrant told him if he had the notes of the lecture he could easily establish a strong alibi for himself, and urged him to leave the notes with Mrs. Durrant in order that she might bring them to him at the prison. Dr. Graham said he refused the request and never afterward visited Durrant at the prison.

Dr. Graham's story was not shaken in any particular on cross-examination. While he was testifying the jurors watched Durrant closely, but he gave no sign to indicate that he considered the testimony of any importance.

The first witnesses called in rebuttal by the prosecution were the five trustees of Emanuel church. While Durrant was on the stand he testified that he was asked to repair the sunburner at Emanuel church on April 1 by the trustees. The trustees denied that they had asked Durrant to make repairs of any kind at the church during March or April.

Witnesses were next called to disprove Durrant's statement that on the afternoon of April 12 he was at the ferry for the purpose of searching for Blanche Lamont, who, he said, a mysterious stranger had told him would cross the bay that afternoon. C. W. Dodge, a medical student, said he saw Durrant at the ferry and the prisoner told him he was waiting for a number of members of the signal corps who were expected from Oakland. C. A. Dukes, a medical student who accompanied Dodge, corroborated his testimony.

A. A. Hobe, an old schoolmate of Durrant, testified that he saw Durrant at the ferry the same afternoon in company with a young woman who answered the description of Minnie Williams. It is known that Minnie Williams came over from her home in Alameda that afternoon, and the next day her body was found in Emanuel church. It is the theory of the prosecution that instead of being at the ferry to look for Blanche Lamont, Durrant was there for the purpose of meeting Miss Williams and luring her to her death.

E. A. Glazer, a student at the medical college, testified that on the afternoon of April 10 Durrant asked him to read aloud his notes of Dr. Cheney's lecture. Glazer said he read his notes to Durrant, who devoted three quarters of an hour to writing in his notebook. The defense tried to show that it was customary for students to compare notes, but Glazer said that Durrant read nothing that purported to be his own notes.

Charles Morrison and J. H. Cooper, newspaper reporters, told of an interview they had with Durrant in the city prison on the night of his arrest. Both witnesses testified that Durrant said he arrived at the church on April 3 between 4 and 4:30 in the afternoon. This testimony conflicts with the statement Durrant now makes, to the effect that he did not arrive at the church until 5 o'clock. Morrison and Cooper, who were present at the interview between Reporter Marshall and Detective Gibson, also testified that it was untrue, as alleged by Marshall, that Gibson said he saw the print of a No. 8 or 9 shoe in the belfry near where Blanche Lamont's body was found.

From the present outlook the case will go to the jury not later than the close of next week, after being on trial since July 22. District Attorney Barnes says all of the rebuttal testimony will be introduced at once, and, as the defense has no more witnesses, the arguments will begin on Thursday.

NOT BURNED AT THE STAKE.

Frank Poleman Turns Up as Mysteriously as He Disappeared.

SOMERSET, Pa., Oct. 23.—Frank Poleman who, with the exception of "Bill" Pritts, gained more notoriety as a moonshiner than any denizen of Laurel hill, is in jail here on a charge of horse stealing. Poleman disappeared from his usual haunts about Trent six years ago as mysteriously as if the earth had opened and swallowed him.

He had long been suspected of being a member of the band of moonshiners infesting the mountain, and a story soon became current that he had betrayed the secrets of the moonshiners, and as a penalty had been bound to a stake and burned. Last week Poleman reappeared at Trent as mysteriously as he had disappeared a half dozen years ago. He is uncommunicative and it has not yet transpired where he spent the time mentioned.

ASSUMING A DIFFERENT PHASE.

The Strike Situation Changing In the DuBois District.

DUBOIS, Pa., Oct. 23.—The strike situation in this locality has assumed a different phase. The miners at Crenshaw and the Rochester and Pittsburg Coal and Iron company at Walston and Adrian, have suspended. The Berwin-White miners at Anita also joined the strikers.

Labor leaders who have been working for weeks to get the miners of this end and the Beech Creek region out are expressing satisfaction. W. B. Wilson of Tioga county, attended a meeting at Walston and, after getting the men out, hurried to Houtsdale to attend a second meeting.

The Dedication Postponed.

HARRISBURG, Oct. 23.—The dedication of the Pennsylvania monuments on the Chickamauga battlefield, which was to have occurred Nov. 18, has been indefinitely postponed owing to failure of the contractors to complete them in time. Governor Hastings and party will stop off at Chickamauga enroute to the Atlanta exposition and will be conducted over the battlefield by members of the executive committee of the commission having in charge the erection of the Pennsylvania monuments.

Cricketers to Go Abroad.

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 23.—The plan to send a Philadelphia cricket team to England next year has been formulated and a letter was mailed to Secretary Allcock of the Surrey Cricket club requesting him to arrange dates. The team will be selected from the best local players.

CREATING LIVELY INTEREST.

President Crespo to Fill Vacancies In His Cabinet.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 23.—Great Britain's radical steps on the Venezuelan question continue to excite the liveliest interest in official and diplomatic circles. The demand has not yet reached Caracas, as is evident from the fact Minister Andrade has not yet heard from his government on the subject. President Crespo, who has been absent

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from the capital on a vacation, has started back, for the purpose, it is believed, of filling the four vacancies in his cabinet which occurred recently. One of these new officers is the minister of foreign affairs.

There is no doubt entertained here that Crespo's new minister will share the views of his predecessors, as no ministry or administration could survive in Venezuela which did not make resistance to British aggression its foremost policy.

W. C. T. U. OFFICERS ELECTED.

Miss Willard Re-Elected President of the Organization.

BALTIMORE, Oct. 23.—Miss Frances Willard was again elected president of the W. C. T. U. at the annual election, with practically no opposition, although complimentary votes were cast for several other prominent workers. Other officers were elected as follows: Vice president at large, Mrs. L. M. N. Stevens; corresponding secretary, Mrs. Katharine Lente Stevenson of Massachusetts; recording secretary, Mrs. Clara C. Hoffman of Kansas City; assistant recording secretary, Mrs. Frances J. Beauchamp of Kentucky.

The proceedings were opened with devotional exercises, conducted by Miss Elizabeth Greenwood. The venerable Mother Thompson, the original temperance crusader, offered a prayer. The report of the committee on credentials showed that 43 states were represented and that 425 persons were present and entitled to vote.

STILL ATTACKING CHRISTIANS.

Troops Dispatched to the Scene of the Disturbances.

CONSTANTINOPLE, Oct. 23.—Advices received here from Ismid and Hendek say that the Mussulman attacks upon Christians there continue. Troops have been hastily dispatched to the scene of the disturbances.

According to news received here from Adana and Aleppo revolutionary agents are traversing the country and are enrolling young Armenians, while quantities of arms, ammunition and dynamite are being smuggled across the frontiers for their use.

The Quarantine Raised.

EL PASO, Tex., Oct. 23.—The government quarantine against Mexican cattle has been raised, and from 50 cattlemen now in the city from Denver, Kansas City, St. Louis, Chicago, Dallas, Houston, Fort Worth and Pueblo, Colo., it is learned that 35,000 head of cattle have already been bought in Mexico for shipment into this country and 40,000 of them are already on the border ready to enter this country.

Smallpox in Wheeling.

BELLAIRE, O., Oct. 23.—Wheeling, across the river, is undergoing another scourage of smallpox. Twelve new cases have been reported, which makes about 20 in Wheeling altogether. The medical fraternity are trying to stop the spread of the disease. The situation is growing alarming, and the schools in the infected districts are closed. Newspapers there are accused of keeping the affair quiet, knowing that Ohio will quarantine against Wheeling.

Killed by a Boiler Explosion.

BURLINGTON, Ia., Oct. 23.—A messenger has just arrived with word of a terrific explosion a few miles from here, in which John Holmes and James White were killed instantly and two others fearfully cut and bruised. The boiler of the Lomax picket fence factory exploded, demolishing the building. The fines of the boiler were blown 75 feet and a brick from the smokestack was hurled through a window 350 feet away.

Were Roundly Criticised.

CHICAGO, Oct. 23.—The methods of the Womens Christian Temperance anion, the church an institution, the clergy as representing the church and all political parties as they exist at the present time, were roundly criticised at the national conference of Christians which is in session in the Christian Federation church. Rev. William H. Guy, the national minister of the Church of the Open Bible, acted as chairman.

Armor Plate For Russia.

NEW YORK, Oct. 23.—A dispatch from St. Petersburg announces that the Russian government has just closed a contract with the Carnegie Steel company for a large amount of their patent armor, the recent tests of which, at Washington, were so remarkable. The order is for immediate delivery, and will occupy the Homestead works for fully five months.

The Report Not Confirmed.

LONDON, Oct. 23.—The report circulated in the United States that Mr. Charles D. Rose has withdrawn his challenge, issued through the Royal Victoria Yacht club, for a series of races for the America's cup, or that he contemplates so doing, is not confirmed from any source here.

Universal Church Conference.

MERIDEN, Conn., Oct. 23.—The general conference of the Universal church of the United States has opened here. About 200 delegates are present. Rev. Dr. Perkins of this city celebrated communion and the occasional sermon was preached by Rev. Joseph K. Mason of New York.

Another Bank Closes Its Doors.

WELLINGTON, Kan., Oct. 23.—The First National bank of this city has closed its doors by order of the directors. The bank has been doing business since 1885 with a capital of $50,000. A gradual shrinkage of business is responsible for the suspension. The deposits amount to about $51,000.

Fled From the Capital.

HONG KONG, Oct. 23.—The Black Flag chieftain, who has been holding Tai-Wan-Fu, the Chinese capital of the Island of Formosa, against the Japanese forces, has fled and it is expected that his followers will now lay down their arms. The Japanese will probably soon occupy Anping.

Japanese Ports to Be Opened.

ST. PETERSBURG, Oct. 23.—A dispatch from Vladivostock says that the Japanese ports, Shimonoseki, Kokkaichi, Tokio, Sendai, Aomori and Otarunai will shortly be opened to international trade.

DOWN IN DIXIE LAND.

Atlanta Is the Seat of Government at Present.

PRESIDENT AND CABINET THERE.

The Party Received In Royal Style by the Southern People—Great Throngs Cheer the Chief Executive and Staff as They Pass Along the Streets.

ATLANTA, Oct. 23.—For the present at least the seat of government of the United States may be said to have been transferred to Atlanta, for the city harbors the president, the vice president and six members of the cabinet, not to mention Treasurer Jordan, Governors Coffin of Connecticut, O'Ferral of Virginia, Stone of Mississippi and a host of other dignitaries of officialdom.

On time to the minute the presidential special, running as the first section of the southwestern vestibule limited on the Southern railway, rolled into the depot. In accordance with the expressed wish of the president and the desire of the exposition authorities, the arrival of the party was deprived of anything in the nature of a hippodrome.

Ten thousand people had assembled in the vicinity of the station, crowding the streets as thickly as the space would allow and overflowing for several blocks in every direction. The roofs, windows, awnings, telegraph poles and every point of vantage in the neighborhood had been utilized by eager onlookers. The special was stopped outside the depot, however, the party disembarked and escorted to carriages by the reception committee and then drive to the Hotel Aragon, their destination, began before the expectant thousands realized that the distinguished visitors had reached the city. Nevertheless, as the president's carriage, drawn by four white horses, dashed around the corner of the station, the crowd recognized the portly form of the president, and a mighty cheer went up, which grew and developed into a roar as the line of carriages sped rapidly up Prior street, through the mass of enthusiastic humanity.

Mr. Cleveland was in evident good humor and bowed in response to the continuous ovation he received all the way to his hotel. Secretary Carlisle who, with Mrs. Carlisle, rode in the second carriage, was cheered frequently, and Secretary of the Interior Hoke Smith, who found himself on his native heath, was given a hearty reception.

The president and his cabinet officers sat down in the Aragon banquet hall to a dinner tendered in their honor by Hon. Porter King, mayor of Atlanta. Covers were laid for 80, including the exposition officials, the city council, the visiting governors and other distinguished citizens. The city is crowded with visitors and the superb weather that has prevailed so far assures an attendance of 100,000 visitors at the exposition.

Today the president will be driven to the exposition grounds, where he will review the military, deliver a brief address, hold a public reception and make a tour of the buildings. In the evening he will be tendered a reception at the Capital City club, and at midnight will leave for Washington.

Fell to the Floor In a Faint.

EASTON, Pa., Oct. 23.—Edward Schug, a saloonkeeper of South Easton, and John Hank, of Williams township, have been sentenced by Judge Scott to six months' imprisonment and $300 fine for having attempted to dissuade a witness from testifying in a case in court. Hank sobbed while sentence was being pronounced, but Schug stood unmoved apparently until the Judge said, "Six months in jail," when he fell to the floor in a dead faint. Schug has just finished serving three months for violation of the liquor law.

The Strike Growing In Extent.

PHILLIPSBURG, Pa., Oct. 23.—The miners' strike seems to be growing in extent. William B. Wilson, who has charge of the men and who is in attendance at the mass meeting of miners at Houtzdale, says that in all 12,500 are out and that in the northern district all the mines except the Horatio are out, and this threatens to suspend work. There has been no change in the situation in the mining centers of Houtzdale, Osceola and Phillipsburg, where all the miners are at work.

Drowned in Soapsuds.

MT. PLEASANT, Pa., Oct. 23.—An 18-months-old son of Mrs. Patrick Dolan of this place was drowned in a big tub of soapsuds, into which he had fallen while his mother was out in the yard hanging up clothes. She searched some time before she thought of the tub. Dr. Crosby was able to partly resuscitate the child, but then the work proved fatal by the forming of the suds in the lungs into bubbles.

The Situation Unchanged.

ALTOONA, Pa., Oct. 23.—The situation in the mountain coal regions remains practically the same, except that the Frugality miners have gone back to work. Meetings are being held at Gallitzin, Lillys, Ben's Creek, Dunlo and other points, but interest is centered on the Houtzdale meeting, at which District President Wilson presided.

An Old Landmark Gone.

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 23.—The old Seven Stars tavern, in East Vincent township, Chester county, together with the stables, has been burned. The Seven Stars tavern was one of the oldest landmarks in the country. It was built long before the revolution, and it was a famous stopping place for travelers going from Philadelphia to Baltimore.

County Commissioner Found Guilty.

HOLLIDAYSBURG, Pa., Oct. 23.—County Commissioner John Burd of Altoona has been found guilty of having a pecuniary interest amounting to $516.82 in the public contract for painting the county court house. The penalty for this crime is $500 fine and removal from office. The case will likely go to the new superior court.

PITH OF THE NEWS.

Treasury Agent Ayer, reports a boom in the tinplate industry.

The next session of the general assembly of the Knights of Labor will begin in Washington Nov. 12.

The colored building at the Atlanta exposition was formally transferred with interesting ceremonies.

The State bank at Duluth, of which Charles S. Stukey, who fled with $15,000, was the cashier, has failed.

Over 810,000 bales of cotton were sold on the New York Exchange and fortunes were made on the "short side."

Mrs. Tyler, wife of the clerk on the steamboat Florence, committed suicide by hanging at Bordentown, N. J.

Furniture Dealer John Mullins was acquitted at Trenton, N. J., on the charge of conspiracy to defraud the state.

Albert Clymer was sentenced at Mount Holly, to be hanged, for the murder of Mrs. Bridget Doyle of Burlington, N. J.

A Baltimore and Ohio Southwestern train ran over and killed John Terlinde of Ivorydale and fatally mangled Emma Burke.

The supreme court of California has affirmed the validity of $17,500,000 bond issued to the Market Street Railway company in Los Angeles.

Governor Morton gave a hearing to James Roberts, whose extradition is sought by Philadelphia authorities for defrauding creditors.

At Cripple Creek, Colo., Town Marshal Daniel Benton of Goldfield was instantly killed and Frank Smith, Andy Coyle and Frank Stevens seriously wounded in a fight over a revolver.

EX-CONSUL WALLER'S CASE.

He Did Not Supply the Hovas With Arms, as Charged.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 23.—Mr. Ethelbert Woodford, who was in Madagascar at the time the proceedings against ex-Consul Waller was in progress, has presented his version of the case to Acting Secretary Uhl of the state department. Besides contending, as he did strenuously, that the proceedings of the French authorities were entirely unwarranted and that the French court was without jurisdiction, Mr. Woodford presented affidavits secured by himself from numerous persons in Antananarivo to show that Waller had not been supplying the Hovas with arms, as was charged.

He also called the attention of the secretary to the mistreatment to which Mrs. Waller had been subjected by the federal soldiers on board ship coming from Maritius to Marseilles, for which he thinks Consul Campbell of Maritius is largely responsible, because of his failure to secure better accommodations for her.

MISSIONARIES MEET.

Their Field of Labor Among American Negroes, Indians and Chinese.

DETROIT, Oct. 23.—The twenty-ninth annual meeting of the American Missionary association, which is devoted principally to mission work among the negroes, Indians and Chinese in America, has opened its four days' session in the First Congregational church. Many of the most noted mission workers in the country are present.

Rev. H. P. De Forest of the Woodward Avenue Congregational church welcomed the delegates on behalf of the city and Governor Rich welcomed them on behalf of the state. The proceedings included the report of the treasurer and of the executive committee, the appointment of committees and a concert of prayer.

The Episcopal Convention Closed.

MINNEAPOLIS, Oct. 23.—At the closing session of the house of depnties of the Episcopalian convention Rev. Dr. Elliott of Washington gave assurance of the welcome that would be accorded the next convention by the new diocese. The house concurred with the house of bishops in erecting the missionary jurisdiction of Northern Texas into a diocese.

Executing Chinese Rioters.

FOO-CHOW, Oct. 23.—Mabel Hartford's assailant and 13 others, convicted of taking part in the Hwasang massacre, were put to death at Ku-Cheng. The execution was witnessed by the foreign consular commission, the Chinese prefect, the district magistrate and a great crowd.

Prairie Fire Does Great Damage.

FORMAN, N. D., Oct. 23.—A prairie fire, started by a threshing engine, has done almost inestimable damage in the reservation southeast of here. A terrific wind made the fire uncontrollable, and hundreds of tons of hay and a large quantity of grain in the stack was destroyed.

Have Been Obliged to Resume.

CHICAGO, Oct. 23.—As an indication of the condition of the shoe trade in this city, Sole, Schwab & Co. who closed their Chicago factory a week ago to take an inventory, have been obliged to open it again. This will give employment to 800 hands.

Found $1.10 In Cash on Hand.

TACOMA, Oct. 23.—When S. E. Balkwill took formal possession of the closed German American bank he found but $1.10 in cash on hand and no account books. The city had over $58,000 on deposit and it was a demand for this money that caused the bank to fail.

An Allegheny Man Suicides.

CHATTANOOGA, Tenn., Oct. 23.—Frank R. Welty, aged 30, of Allegheny, Pa., was found dead in bed at the Read House. An empty bottle of morphine was found on the table. The cause of the suicide is a mystery.

Abandoned the Variety Stage.

LOS ANGELES, Oct. 23.—Lady Sholto Douglass, the daughter-in-law of the Marquis of Queensbury, has forsaken the variety stage and has accepted an engagement with the Frawley Dramatic company.

Ex-Governor Ames Dead.

NORTH EASTON, Mass., Oct. 23.—Ex-Governor Oliver Ames is dead at his home here, after a long period of failing health, although death at the last resulted from heart disease. He was 64 years of age.

Died While at Work.

ERIE, Pa., Oct. 23.—John Hoffman, 45 years old, a German tailor recently employed by Alexander & Co. of this city, was found dead in a little workshop back of their store. He had evidently been dead for several hours, as his body was stiff and cold.

Dead in a Cornfield.

GREENSBURG, Pa., Oct. 23.—Ex-County Treasurer Philip Fisher has been found dead in a cornfield near his home at Madison. He was 65 years old. Heart disease is supposed to have been the cause of his death.

THE MARKETS.

PITTSBURG, Oct. 22.

WHEAT—No. 1 red, 71@72c; No. 2 red, 69@70c.

CORN—No. 2 yellow car, 39@39½c; mixed car, 38@38½c; No. 2 yellow shelled, 36@36½c; high mixed shelled, 35@35½c.

OATS—No. 1 white, 24½@24½c; No. 2 do, 23@23½; extra No. 3 white, 22½@23¼c; light mixed, 21¾@22c.

HAY—No. 1 timothy, $16.00@16.25; No. 2 timothy, $14.50@15.00; mixed clover, $13.50@14.00; packing, $8.50@9.00; No. 1 feeding prairie, $11.00@11.25; wagon hay, $17.00@17.50 for timothy.

BUTTER—Elgin creamery, 25@26c; Ohio fancy creamery, 22@23c; fancy country roll, 16@17c; low grades and cooking, 5@7c.

CHEESE—Ohio mild, new, 8¼@8¾c; New York, new, 9¼@9¾c; limberger, new, 10@10½c; Wisconsin Swiss, 12@13c; Ohio Swiss, 11¼@12c.

EGGS—Strictly fresh Pennsylvania and Ohio, in cases, 16½@17c; 1c more for candled; cold storage, 15@15½c.

POULTRY—Large live chickens, 45@50c per pair; live chickens, small, 35@40c; spring chickens, 25@30c, as to size; dressed chickens, 10@12c per pound; dressed spring chickens, 11@13c; live ducks, 60@70c per pair; live turkeys, 8@9c per pound; dressed, 12@13c.

EAST LIBERTY, Pa., Oct. 22.

CATTLE—Receipts fair this week; 95 cars on sale; the market is steady at about unchanged prices. We quote as follows: 1,400 to 1,600 lbs, $4.80@5.00; good, 1,200 to 1,300 lbs, $4.30@4.50; good butchers', 1,000 to 1,200 lbs, $3.80@4.00; rough fat, $2.50@3.50; bulls, cows and stags, $1.50@3.00; fresh cows and springers, $15.00@40.00.

HOGS—Receipts light, and the quality of stock is poor. The demand is only fair and the market ruled slow. We quote as follows: Prime medium, $4.15@4.25; best Yorkers, $4.05@4.10; common to fair Yorkers and pigs, $3.90@4.00; heavy grades, $4.15@4.25; roughs, $3.00@3.75.

SHEEP AND LAMBS—Supply is fair today, but the demand is very light and the market extremely dull at a shade lower prices. We quote: Extra, $2.70@2.90; good, $2.10@2.30; fair, $1.30@1.90; common, 50c@$1.00; lambs, $2.00@3.90; veal calves, $4.50@5.50; heavy and thin calves, $2.00@3.00.

CINCINNATI, Oct. 22.

HOGS—Market active at $3.00@3.85; receipts, 1,400 head; shipments, 1,500 head.

CATTLE—Market steady at $2.25@4.65; receipts, 400 head; shipments, 700 head.

SHEEP AND LAMBS—Market easy for sheep at $3.00@3.75; receipts, 600 head; shipments, 400 head. Lambs, market steady and higher at $2.75@4.25.

NEW YORK, Oct. 22.

WHEAT—Spot market firm. No. 2 red, 69¼c; No. 1 hard, 69¼c.

CORN—Spot market firm. No. 2, 38½c.

OATS—Spot market steady. No. 2, 28½c.

CATTLE—European cables quote American steers at 8½@10c dressed weight; refrigerator beef at 7½@9½c.

SHEEP AND LAMBS—Sheep, little better feeling, but prices no stronger. Sheep, poor to prime, $1.50@3.00. Lambs, common to choice, $3.25@4.25.

HOGS—Market steady at $4.15@4.50.

POSSIBLY A NEW DEAL.

Managers Still Hope to Bring the Fighters Together.

CLAIM THAT THE MEN MUST MEET.

Corbett Insists on Fighting In Public Unless Fitzsimmons Increases His Side Wager—Sanguine of a Favorable Decision From the Supreme Court.

HOT SPRINGS, Oct. 23.—While the big fight has been formally declared off, there is still a deal of hope in the native's breast that Corbett and Fitzsimmons will come together here in the foothills of the Ozark mountains. The situation is, of course, complicated. So far as its relations with the Florida Athletic club is concerned, the heavyweight battle under the original Coleman House agreement, which was subsequently amended at Dallas, is a thing of the past. In its stead has cropped up a proposition to sign new articles to fight for a purse not exceeding $25,000 and have the battle here three weeks later than the date originally agreed upon. Corbett, it is known, favors this plan. Oct. 31, the day the battle was set for at Dallas, was fixed upon because it is a big day at the State fair.

While Julian insists on the full text and letter of the articles, both as to the date and purse, it is known here that Fitzsimmons will come about and agree to a deferment of the hostilities. It is also thought that he will submit to a reduction of the purse originally hung up by the club and sign new articles. He recognizes the fact that on the face of recent developments, Corbett has shrewdly ensconsed himself in the best of it. To overcome this, he must and will fight. Martin Julian handed a statement to our representative and then supplemented it by making public the names of six men he had selected from whom the referee was to be chosen by Brady. The men named are as follows: John L. Sullivan of Boston, Jake Kilrain of Baltimore, Mike Donovan of New York, Prof. John M. Duffy of New Orleans, Yank Sullivan of Syracuse and Lou M. Houseman, sporting editor of The Inter-Ocean of Chicago.

The names submitted permit of the selection of but one man in the list, Houseman. Brady would hardly select Sullivan or Kilrain, on the ground that Corbet had whipped them, and this might prejudice them. Mike Donovan and Corbett have not spoken since the Sullivan fight. Yank Sullivan and Duffy have been rejected by Corbett already. Julan's proposition now is to bring his man on to Hot Springs Oct. 30, put his side bet of $10,000 up in the hands of Houseman, ask Corbett to do the same, and then allow Housemen to appoint an hour and place for the men to meet in private.

If this plan fails, as is likely, for Corbett insists on fighting in public unless Fitzsimmons increases his side wager to $20,000, Vendig and Stuart think a new deal is sure to ensue. They say that the men must meet and that they will come together here. Just on what lines the conclusion is reached is not apparent, but the friends of the club and the fighters here are sanguine of a favorable decision on the appeal to the supreme court on Chancellor Leatherman's finding on the habeas corpus case.

A Corpus Cristi special says Fitzsimmons has made this statement: "You can say for me that I now challenge the world for a $10,000 side bet and the championship in this or any other country. Furthermore, I will meet Corbett for the $10,000 side bet and will let the gate receipts be given to charitable institutions of New York city."

Gave Harness a Light Dose.

PARKERSBURG, W. Va., Oct. 23.—The jury that has been trying Tom Harness, a wealthy white man, for the murder of Mark Perry, a poor negro, came in with a verdict of involuntary manslaughter, the penalty for which is two years or less in the county jail. The colored people are discussing the verdict with much indignation. The verdict is a big victory for Harness, but a new trial is asked for.

Fraud Orders Issued.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 23.—Acting Postmaster General Jones has issued a fraud order against the Kansas Mutual Investment company of Kansas City, Kan. An order has also been issued against the British-American Loan syndicate of Chicago, Ills., for obtaining money through the mails by false and fraudulent practices.

Fell From the Seventh Story.

BUFFALO, N. Y., Oct. 23.—George Harvey, aged 45, the foreman of the scaffold builders on the 14-story Guarantee building in process of erection at the corner of Pearl and Church streets, fell from the seventh story and was instantly killed. His home was in Ottawa, Ont. He came here from Chicago five months ago.

An Outlaw Mortally Wounded.

WHITESBURG, Ky., Oct. 23.—Reports have just reached here from Knott county, six miles from the Magoffin county line, near the little hamlet of Vest, that Andy Jack, a young mountain outlaw, was shot in the head and mortally wounded by James Hale, another outlaw, the result of a drunken brawl.

Pugilist Dempsey Dying.

PORTLAND, Ore., Oct. 23.—Jack Dempsey is dying. Within the past few days he has been rapidly sinking, and it is announced that his hours are numbered. He has tried a change to country air, but with little apparent benefit. His physicians allow few of the pugilist's friends to see him.

Have Filed Assignments.

MINNEAPOLIS, Oct. 23.—Clough Bros., a lumber firm, and David M. Clough, governor of this state, have filed assignments to John F. Byers. This action is the result of the assignment of N. P. Clark & Co., of which firm Clough Bros. were creditors, for $92,000.

Stabbed In the Back.

LEBANON, Pa., Oct. 23.—Benjamin S. Keenan, a puddler of this city, is lying at his home in a dangerous condition, suffering from two stab wounds in the back, in the region of the heart, inflicted, it is charged, by Phillip McConnell. McConnell has disappeared.

Condition of the Treasury.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 23.—The statement of the condition of the treasury shows: Available cash balance, $180,801,155; gold reserve, $92,926,393.

Cholera In Egypt.

CAIRO, Oct. 23.—At El Menzuleh and in its vicinity there are 30 new cases of cholera and 12 deaths from that disease have occurred.

Fourteen Business Blocks Burned.

ALTA, Ia., Oct. 23.—Fourteen business blocks have been destroyed by fire. Loss, $70,000; partly insured.

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